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Was It Lady Like?

Mrs. Emma Mersereau Newton, formerly a resident of Emporium, but of late years a resident of New York city, who takes to herself the "whole push" of opposition to the public demand for the paving of Fourth street. In her article in this week's Independent she evidently labored under a delusion, or rather brain clot. We dislike very much to take issue with a lady, but since she has gone out of her path to "throw mud" at ye editor and make misrepresentations that are utterly false and misleading, we beg the pardon of the fair sex. We are satisfied to pay a just tax upon our holdings in Emporium, yet we insist that a property covering the most conspicuous corner in town—75x25 feet—be valued something near the market value and not one sixth the price refused, as we are informed, reliably. We are at a loss to know of a piece of property in Emporium advertised for sale for taxes. If the lady refers to unseated land sales of lands owned by C. B. Howard Co., Hon. Josiah Howard, ourselves and others, she should be honest and not attempt to mislead the public, (and injure the innocent), yet most sensible people know that land sales take place every two years. This is a mighty poor argument against public improvements.

Street paving is popular in Emporium and is coming along nicely, thank you. Our tax-payers very generally do not desire any of "your healthy country roads." We have been pay-hundreds of thousands of dollars for these beautiful (?) roads in the past.

Get aboard the band wagon and join the shouting chorus. "Onward with clean, healthy brick paving from West Creek bridge to Emporium Junction." Enough of this. Emporium will advance—croakers to the rear, on the *healthy mud roads.*

The Person who has Lost Interest in Things has Lost All.

Is the list of things that interest you growing smaller or larger year after year? What sort of things have you taken off the list and what sort of things have you added to it? Look it over, this list—and analyze it critically; just as though it were the other fellow's—or the other woman's list. If the list is larger than it was a year ago, congratulate yourself. If it is smaller, get a little anxious and put yourself on the witness stand. For the future add something to this list continually, industriously. For, in every item that you add to it, you add an extension to your lease of life, lengthen your years on earth. How many kinds of advertisements interest you—for example? Here's a chance to add a lot of items to the list—profitable, educative, remunerative items.

Adams—Barnes.

Married at eight o'clock Tuesday evening, June 9th, at Ransomville, N. Y., by the Rev. A. C. Dow, Edna Adams, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Adams, of Emporium, Pa., to Frank D. Barnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Barnes of this place.

Rev. Dow was a former pastor of the Wesleyn Methodist church at Emporium and after the words spoken that made them man and wife, Rev. and Mrs. Dow gave a reception to the young couple. They returned to Cuba, Wednesday evening by the way of Buffalo, stopping there and spending the day with the bride's brother who is engineer in the Niagara Hotel.

The couple will reside here and will be at home as soon as the work of settleing can be done, having rented the old Ackley home on South street. The groom is well and favorably known in Cuba and his friends welcome the young couple and wish them a happy future. —Cuba, N. Y., Patriot. The bride, respected daughter of our friends, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Adams, of Rich Valley, was for several months connected with the Incandescent Electric plant in Emporium and made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Huffman while remaining in town. She was popular with her friends and enjoyed the confidence and respect of our citizens, who heartily congratulate the young couple and wish them a happy life.

Furnished Rooms.

Two good furnished rooms for rent. Apply to Mrs. Morse, Sixth street.

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Base Ball Tragedy.

At Brookline, near Pittsburg, two men, all friends were shot on Monday, E. T. Haas being instantly killed. It was all a supposed joke—not being aware that the gun was loaded. E. T. Haas married Miss Josephine Marks, who five years ago was a clerk in the Climax office in Emporium. Too late for further particulars.

Blumle—Deitzler.

One of the most beautiful and impressive marriages was that of Miss Anna Blumle, eldest daughter of Hon. and Mrs. F. X. Blumle, and William Deitzler, in St. Mark's Church, last Monday morning. While the guests were assembling in the church, Mrs. E. T. Wells, organist of the church, rendered some very sweet music and shortly after nine o'clock the well known Mendelssohn Wedding March was sounded which announced the approach of the bridal party which proceeded up the centre isle of the church in the following order: Usher, Mr. John Quigley and best man, Mr. Francis Deitzler, a brother of the groom; Miss Mary Blumle, handsomely attired in white, carrying a basket of beautiful flowers, as maid of honor, followed by Miss Thressa Blumle as bride's maid, who was very becomingly gowned in pale blue; following her came the bride, looking most beautiful and charming, in her bridal robes of pure white, her gown being of lace over white silk, and she were a wreath and long veil and carried a prayer book. They were met at the altar by the groom and the Rev. Father Kearns who united them for life. Following the marriage ceremony Nuptial High Mass was celebrated which was very impressive. The choir was at its best and their responces in the Mass were well rendered; Mrs. Jerome Bell sang the *Ara Maria* in her usual pleasing manner. After the Mass the party left the church to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march and repaired to the spacious and beautiful home of the bride where a reception was held for about two hundred invited guests. May their future lives be as sunny as was the day they made their vows as man and wife, is the wish of the PRESS, Mr. and Mrs. Deitzler are spending their honeymoon at Shamokin, the home of the groom, and other eastern points.

The bride was the recipient of many beautiful, costly and useful presents.

The out of town guests present were: Rev. Father Kearns, DuBois; Mr. Alexander Deitzler, (father of groom) and Francis Deitzler, (brother of groom), Shamokin, Pa.; Mrs. Wm. Gehrlem and Miss Mary Dengler, Erie, Pa.; Mrs. Wm. Eberhart, May S. Johnson and Clara M. Hinkley, Buffalo, N. Y.; Miss Elizabeth Yahn, Olean, N. Y.; Johanna Severein, Marion Vogt, Renovo; Guy Leary, Henry Severin, Sadie Truffner, Misses Regina and Madalene Severein, St. Marys; Mr. and Mrs. A. Jaeger, Kersey, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Eggler, Driftwood; Edward Houk, Cleveland, O.

Great Bargains in Millinery.

Friday we begin another great reduction sale in Millinery. Here are the prices: Trimmed Hats, all $3.00 hats, $1.50; all $3 50 hats, $1.75; all $4.00 hats, $2.00; all $5.00 hats, $2.50; all $6.00 hats, $3.00; all $8.00 hats, $4.00 and other Trimmed Hats, half price.

Untrimmed Dress Shapes: All hats from 50c to $1.00, reduced to 25c; all $1.25 to $1.50 hats, 50c; all $2.00 to $3.00 hats, your choice $1.00. A lot of Children's Straw Hats, trimmed with ribbon band, original price 75c, sale price 19c. A lot of Tuscan flats, 25c kind, sale price 7c. A lot of handsome flowers, half price.

R. KUEHNE, Emporium's Greatest Dry Goods Store.

Kelley—Burnside,

Miss Mary Grace Kelley, the accomplished daughter of Mr. John Kelley of this place, was united in marriage to Mr. Joseph Burnside, on Sunday, June 21, 1908, at Watsontown, Pa., by the Rev. Mr. Calvin, of the Baptist Church, formerly of this place. The couple stole a march on their many friends here by quietly slipping away on the early flyer on Sunday morning. Mrs. Burnside is a general favorite of all who know her and is sure to make a true helpmate to the man of her choice. Mr. Burnside is also very popular with all of our people, having lived here for several years. They will spend a short honeymoon at Atlantic City and after their return will reside at the beautiful home of the bride on Fourth street. May their lives be one of happiness is the wish of the PRESS and their many friends.

Base Ball—West Ward vs Driftwood.

The West Ward Base Ball Team will cross bats with the Driftwood boys, Saturday afternoon at 3:30 on the Keystone Park grounds at this place. Everybody invited. Admission 25c. Ladies free. Come out and encourage the boys.

Smethport is paving with brick the entire main street and they have less valuation and less population than Emporium.

DEATH S DOINGS

GARVIN

Joseph M. Garvin, of East Fifth street, aged about 55, died suddenly on Sunday afternoon, about three o'clock. His daughter, Miss Mary, found her father lying at the foot of the hall stairs, where he had evidently fallen and instantly expired, having been stricken with apoplexy. His wife and two children had left Emporium for Ohio, but stopped at Sheffield to visit Mrs. Slaigle, but they re-returned to Emporium and took his remains to Freeport, Westmorland county, Pa., Tuesday morning. Deceased carried $2,000 insurance in the Maccabees in favor of his wife.

HAUBER.

MRS. ELIZABETH IRENE HAUBER, aged 32 years, wife of our townsman Mr. J. S. Hauber, died on Friday night about 11 p. m., June 19th, 1908, at the family residence, Fifth street, after an illness covering one year. The devoted husband consulted the best medical skill in Buffalo, Philadelphia and other places yet the true cause of her disease baffled all. Last week her devoted husband took her to Philadelphia and consulted a specialist without arriving at any conclusion. He was advised to come home and return as soon as the sick lady grew stronger. They came home and the poor sufferer cheered up and on Friday afternoon was quite talkative. The hand of death was then hovering over her. At eleven o'clock she passed away, peacefully.

Deceased leaves in addition to the husband, four children—two boys and two girls—the eldest nine years old and the youngest four months. The eldest children will make their home with Mr. Hauber's mother, Mrs. Sebastian Hauber, at St. Marys, Pa. The babe was given, by the dying mother, to Mr. Hauber's sister, Mrs. Henry Biber, of Kane, who has no children.

The remains were conveyed to St Marys, the former home of Mr. Hauber, Sunday evening, where scores of relatives and friends viewed the departed at the old Hauber home. Requim High Mass was celebrated Monday morning at St. Marys Catholic Church. The funeral was very largely attended, relatives and very many friends coming from Emporium and other towns. The floral offerings, from relatives and friends in Buffalo, Erie, St. Marys and Emporium were in great abundance.

Mr. and Mrs. Hauber were married ten years ago last Feb. and were greatly respected by our citizens. We knew the departed all her life and never heard anything but good words in her behalf. No husband could be more considerate and sacrificing than Mr. Hauber. Nothing that money could purchase was denied her. Our towns people all deeply sympathize with the bereaved husband and children.

BROOKS.

MISS EVANGELINE BROOKS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Brooks of Sinnamahoning, met with a fatal accident at Sterling Run, last Saturday afternoon. Miss Brooks went to Sterling Run early in the morning to arrange for a camping party for July 4th. She stopped at Mr. Edward Whiting's and securing his horse and buggy started, accompanied by Mr. Whiting's two daughters, to examine the condition of the camping grounds. After calling at Mrs. Phineas Masons home they started on their return to Sterling Run. When near Jas. Strawbridge's the horse becoming unmanageable, she told the girls to jump out, which they did. The horse now seemed to be beyond control and was running at a rapid pace, the brave girl standing up and making a desperate effort to check him, when she either jumped or was thrown out, striking on her head. Mr. Jas. R. Strawbridge, who saw her fall, and others hastened to her prostrate form. She was found in an unconscious condition and breathed for a short time, but was dead when Dr. Corbett arrived.

It is the impression of many that the harness was broken as well as the thills, which made the horse run away, in fact one side of the horse showed signs of bruises or scratches.

Kind friends tenderly carried her to the home of Jas. R. Strawbridge, when her friends were notified of her sudden death, who in turn 'phoned to Hon. Geo. J. LaBar's undertaking establishment at this place, to take charge of the remains. Mr. Rishell took Erie mail, the Penna. R. R. Co., kindly consenting to stop the train at both Sterling and Sinnamahoning, and prepared the body for burial.

The regret expressed by all who knew the lady, as she was well and favorably known in all parts of the county was very general. She was of a bright, joyous nature and was one who made friends and retained them.

Miss Brooks was actively engaged as a teacher in the schools of this county and frequently visited Emporium.

The funeral took place from the family residence at Sinnamahoning on Monday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. Conway Wing Dickson, conducted the services at the home, assisted by Revs. Anderson and Allen. The parlor where reposed the dead girl was one bank of roses, ferns and potted plants. About five hundred relatives and friends attended the funeral—a living testimony of the popularity of the dead.

A misunderstanding as to the hour of the funeral prevented a large number of friends from Emporium attending.

The PRESS extends its sympathy to the grief stricken family in this hour of terrible affliction.

"United We Stand—Divided We Fall."

Apparently the Ladies Chamber of Commerce think they should fight the Fourth street pavement. I am very sorry because I think they make a grievous mistake, but if the men of the town really want the pavement, they will "rock the boat" hard enough to get it. For, remember that "the fittest survive," but we must not expect the storekeepers on Fourth Street to do all the "fitting" so that Emporium can survive.

It is like the story of the poor man whose horse fell down and broke his leg, and the neighbors and friends stood around, saying "My, how bad that is—the horse will have to be shot, and how sorry they were etc. etc.," until one of them said, "Well, I am sorry $5.00 worth" and in a very few minutes the man had money enough to buy a new horse.

The paving of the center of the town is a benefit to all of us—both in the East and West Wards, and to the people who live on the hill, and for my part I am willing to subscribe something to get it paved.

I do not expect to see the street paved in front of my house for ten or more years, but I would like to see Fourth Street paved with brick from the Warner House to the Junction as soon as possible. There is some talk of forcing the property-holders by law, but we do not need any law between friends, and we are all friends and are interested in Fourth Street, and in the health and looks of the town.

Our storekeepers have been compelled to carry their customers this last winter, and trade has not been any too profitable, and I believe we had better go without the pavement than to quarrel with the Ladies Chamber of Commerce, who feel that this is not the time to raise the money, and I certainly would not be in favor of using any force to get what we can get peacefully.

The work can be done much better, and a great deal cheaper by the Borough doing the work, the same as they did in front of the Odd Fellows' block. Principally because we would not get full allowance from a contractor for the good foundation that is already in the street. Another reason why we should have this pavement put in this year is, so that we could apply to the State Highway Department to finish the road down to the Junction, and it is quite likely that our member in the Legislature next year—either Mr. Egan or myself—could see that the state helps make a brick road through the East Ward, the same as the State has helped other towns. This cannot be done until we make the connecting line between the State road in the West Ward and the strip of pavement at the Odd Fellows' block, and it should be done now, so that the Borough can make application to the State Highway Department to get the street paved to the Junction next year.

Now, if we are really anxious for this pavement, let us "rock the boat" and all chip in and give something according to our means, and we will get it.

Respectfully yours,
JOSIAH HOWARD.

Mountaineers Attention!

The Mountaineer Hose Co., has been invited by the Star Hose Company, of Port Allegany, Pa., to participate with them in the Celebration of Independence Day, at Port Allegany. We have accepted the invitation and wish a large attendance. The hospitality of the Star Hose Company is well known. We will hold a special meeting in the City Hall, at 8:00 p. m., Tuesday, June 30th, to make further arrangements.

J. M. DAVISON, President.

ATTEST:—
GUY A. KLEES, Secretary.

Purse Lost.

A small dark purse, containing a sum of money was lost in Emporium on Saturday; the property of a widow. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving word at PRESS office.

Aged Veteran Fatally Injured.

Mr. B. Shearer, of East Ward, was called to Lock Haven last week to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, Mr. Robt. F. Lannen, aged 67 years. Deceased ws struck by an engine while crossing the track. He died from his injuries.

Busy Little Lady.

Miss Marguerite Faucette, the little business woman, who keeps an ice cream stand on West Fifth Street, made the PRESS office a call last Tuesday morning. Miss Faucette informs us that she will be at home every afternoon after three o'clock, with plenty of the best ice cream on hand.

Married.

At the Methodist parsonage by the pastor, Rev. J. F. Anderson, on the 21st of May, were married, John T. Jones, Scranton, Pa., and Rose H. Harbot, of Emporium, Pa.

At the same place and by the same June 17, 1908, were married John H. Murphy, of Titusville, Pa., and Mattie Mabel Jones, of Keating Summit, Pa.

Picnic Party.

The Misses Blumle entertained a large crowd, at a picnic last Tuesday afternoon, at Sizerville Mineral Springs, in honor of their guests from out of town who were here to attend the Blumle-Deitzler wedding. Those present were: Miss Clara Hinkley Buffalo; Miss Johanna Severin, Renovo; Miss Lizzie Yahn, Olean; Misses Regina and Madalene Severin, St. Marys; Miss Mary Dengler, Erie; Mr. Francis Deitzler, Shamokin; Misses Thressa Frances, Helen, Agnes and Mary Blumle, Messrs. Marian Vogt, Frank Blumle, Raymond Klees, Otto and Leo Edelman, Emporium.

A Ribbon Sale.

Friday and Saturday and following days (if any left) we will sell 1100 yards of ribbon at following prices: 4 inch wide silk ribbon, floral design, cut edge, usual price 19c, sale price 5c yard. 4 inch wide all silk whlte ribbon with black dots and stripes, regular price 25c, at 12c yard; all silk Mesaline ribbon 5 inches wide, odd colors, regular 30c kind 12c yard. All silk fancy Dresden ribbon beautiful patterns 4 to 5½ inches wide, regular price 30 to 50c yard, sale price 20c yard. A few pieces only of 5 inch fancy ribbon 75c quality at 25c yard. At these prices the quantity cannot last long, our advice is come early.

R. KUEHNE,
Emporium's Largest and Finest Store.

A Popular Summer Hotel.

Our old subscriber, Mr. A. DeArmit, who owns and conducts the Intermont Hotel, Covington, Virginia, sends us an illustrated folder, describing his large and beautiful house, located in the Virginia Health Resort. Judging from the views he sent us, the Summer Home must be a grand place. His rates are reasonable—$2.00 and $3.00 per day; $10.00 to $20.00 per week. We wish we could spend a week with you, friend.

Quick Ride.

Mr. Andrew Brady steamed up his auto last Sunday and invited Messrs. C. J. Goodnough and Robert Green to take a little ride. When once started Mr. Brady kept going. They left here at 11.10 a.m., stopping at Port Allegany and Coudersport, arriving at Galeton at two o'clock. After stopping at Galeton one hour and a half, arrived at Emporium at 7:00 p. m. That's going some.

Big Bargain.

Mr. Richard Kuehne, the Fourth street merchant, attended an important wholesale department store sale at Buffalo on Monday. He made a large purchase and will give his customers the benefit of his bargain.

House for Sale.

Six room house situated on West Fifth street, supplied with gas and city water and bath, toilet and laboratory, for sale. Inquire of H. Day at the tannery office. 17-tf.

Teachers' Examinations.

Teachers' examinations will be held at Emporium, in the High. School, Friday, June 26, 1908, beginning at eight o'clock, a. m.

MATTIE M. COLLINS, Supt.

Bargain Days.

Specials for Friday and Saturday at Coppersmiths'. Children's regular 15c hose, all sizes 11c; Ladies 50c Dressing sacques, 39c.

THE WEATHER.
FRIDAY Fair.
SATURDAY Fair.
SUNDAY Fair.

ASSETS
At the close of business June 24, 1908.
$831,715.62
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DR. H. W. MITCHELL,
DENTIST,
(Successor to Dr. A. B. Mead.)
Office over A. F. Vogt's Shoe Store,
Emporium, Pa 121

Picnic of the Sewing Class.

A picnic for the members of the Sewing Class which meets on Saturday afternoons in Emmanuel parish house was held at Keystone Park yesterday. Mrs. Bennett Leutze and Mrs. Joseph Kaye, assisted by Mrs. J. L. Norie, presided over the arrangements. The following young people were present: Leona Coppersmith, Mary Dodson, Corienne Fields, Mabel, Grace and Dorothy Foster, Mamie Fredette, Ruth and Mary Hackett, Grace Halderman, Agnes and Marie Haviland, Sarah Kaye, Bessie Kackenmeister, Emma and Mary Leutze, Avis Lewis, Mabel McSwan, Edna Metzger, Margaret and Nellie Miller, James and Mary Elizabeth Norie, Mildred and Gladys Proudfoot, Celilia Ritchie, Helen, Grace and Annie Robertson, Grace Shriner and Sarah Viner.

Valley Forge.

Our esteemed townsman, Mr. John F. Parsons, accompanied by his brother, Mr. E. K. Parsons, of Lock Haven, attended the dedication of the Anthony Wayne monument at Valley Forge, last Jaturday and enjoyed the occasion. Addresses were made by ex-Gov. Pennypacker, Gen. Thos. J. Stewart and others. Mr. Parsons, who is a member of the "Pennsylvania Society, Sons of the Revolution," was one of 200 guests upon this occasion and enjoyed an automobile ride through the Valley where his great-grand-father fought. Mr. Parsons is justly proud of his membership in this noble society.

After participating in the Valley Forge exercises he went to New York city, "did up" the roof gardens and other sights, after which he went to Coney Island and other up to date resorts, returning home in good order.

Hazel Crosby's Condition.

Miss Hazel Crosby of Sinnamahoning, is in a very precarious condition from the result of a fall sustained three weeks ago last Saturday, while visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Wheaton at Emporium Powder Company settlement. While riding horseback with Miss Regina Blinzler, on a little lark, the horse took fright at an automobile, dumping the girls off. Miss Hazel felt a little sore irom the effects of the shaking up but it was thought at the time of little importance. She continued to grow worse, when Dr. Beale of Driftwaod was called, who pronounced the ailment a nervous shock. Her condition has been rather critical for some days. Mr. Henry Wheaton informed the PRESS last evening that the Dr. thinks that if she holds her own for a few days she will recover.

Could'nt Stay Away.

John T. Earl, of Elkheart, Ind., former editor and proprietor of the Driftwood Gazette, has been visiting relatives and friends in this county the past week. On Wednesday he called on Emporium relatives and friends and found time to call on the PRESS. Mr. Earl is one of the proprietors of the Elkheart Aceteyline Works and we are pleased to learn he is prosperous, which his former Cameron county friends will be glad to learn—the reward of uprightness, honesty and industry.

Special Reductions.

Special reductions in millinery, trimmed hats, untrimmed shapes, flowers, etc. COPPERSMITHS'

NEW TO-DAY.

Geo. J. LaBar—New adv.
J. H. Day—New adv.
First National Bank—New adv.
R. Kuehne—Locals
Humphrey Med Co.
Doan's Kidney Pills.
Mrs. M. F. Conway—New adv.
Pennsylvania Railroad—New adv.
Mrs. Coppersmith—Locals.
Pineule Med. Co.—New Ad.

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Local notices 10 cents per line for one insertion; 5 cents per line for each subsequent consecutive insertion.

Obituary notices over five lines, 10 cents per line. Simple announcements of births, marriages and deaths will be inserted free.

Business cards, five lines or less, $5 per year, over five lines, at the regular rates of advertising.

No local inserted for less than 75 cents per issue.

JOB PRINTING.

The Job department of the PRESS is complete and affords facilities for doing the best class of work. PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO LAW PRINTING.

No paper will be discontinued until arrearages are paid, except at the option of the publisher.

Papers sent out of the county must be paid for in advance.

"Miss," or "Mrs.?"

A number of unmarried English women, who have reached an age about which it would be ungenerous to inquire too closely, have been complaining in the papers of the rule that all married women shall be called "Mrs.," and all unmarried women "Miss," no matter what their ages may be. They point out the fact that a boy, who is "Master" in his early life, becomes "Mr." by the mere lapse of time, whether he marries or not; but that a girl who begins as "Miss," continues to be "Miss" until she marries. This was not always the case, as the curious may discover by looking up the history of "Miss," "Mrs." and "Mistress." The English women maintain that the title by which they are called, as spinsters, is not conducive to the deference which is accorded to married women, and which they demand for themselves. The remedy they propose—that all women be called "Mrs." after reaching the age of 40—would be of doubtful efficacy. Men would go on calling their women acquaintances "Miss" until they received what the newspapers call "official" notice that the age limit was passed. The old "darky" woman stated a fact of general application, says Youth's Companion, when she said that the happiest person is an old maid "when she has quit strugglin'." The woman who cares whether she is called "Miss" or "Mrs.," when her hair is turning, is still "strugglin'."

The state department of agriculture has taken a step which may help to solve the problem of adjusting the matter of labor for farms and at the same time put dwellers in the city in the way of acquiring knowledge and health, says the Troy (N. Y.) Times. The department has issued a bulletin asking for volunteers from boys and girls in high schools who wish employment during the summer vacation. The boys are to have farm work of a character suited to their capacity, such as aiding in the planting and gathering of crops and helping the farmers in other ways, all of which will tend to lighten the labor of the agriculturist and also give the boys valuable insight into farm life. The girls for the most part are expected to serve as clerks and stenographers and to do light duty about summer resorts, although probably there will be no objection to letting those so disposed act as helps to rural housewives. That the idea is not wholly repellent to the youthful element is shown by the fact that there are already over 2,500 applications from high school boys of New York city alone, the young fellows being desirous of engaging in the occupations suggested. Who knows but the high school boy of the present will be the successful farmer of the future?

Score another for that invincible weapon of offense and defense, the hatpin. In the hands of a woman entirely courageous and skillful the hatpin puts the boldest criminal to ignominious flight. One of the greatest victories recorded is that of a woman who, with a hatpin in each hand, withstood four highwaymen who undertook to hold her up and rob her in a lonely street in Brooklyn. One of the men seized the lady roughly by the arm, whereupon she dislodged the hatpins and put them into vigorous action. Although so largely outnumbered, her defense was most successful. The hatpins played with such lightning-like celerity that each of the assailants received at least one jab, and one man had several perforations. Three of the miscreants finally found safety by running away, but the fourth was held and lodged in the police station, with a charge of assault preferred against him by the plucky wielder of the hatpin. If such an act does not entitle the victor to a medal for heroism, remarks the Troy (N. Y.) Times, what is the use of providing for such recognition?

People who lament the seeming preponderance of fiction in the printed matter of the day should cheer up. Last year 876 books on religious subjects were published in this country, and it was not regarded as an especially good year for religion, either.

Picked Up in Pennsylvania

HARRISBURG.—Gov. Stuart has appointed A. H. Bowen of Philadelphia a member of the Valley Forge commission.

BUTLER.—Albert Bowers, aged 35, was instantly killed by being struck with a timber while tearing down an oil derrick near here.

ROCHESTER.—Samuel Petreel, 14 years, was drowned in the Beaver river here while trying to float across the river on a beer keg.

WASHINGTON.—The breaking of an oil main in a branch of Ten Mile creek, near Swart's station, flooded the creek for several miles, killing all fish.

WASHINGTON. — Three light scratches were the extent of injuries sustained by John Neiser of Washington, who walked off a Cartiers Valley train.

KITTANNING.—S. A. Cook, aged 63, a trackwalker for the Allegheny Valley railroad, was instantly killed by a freight train near his home at Rosston.

MOUNT PLEASANT.—Fire destroyed the stable of the Ruder Inn and W. H. Logier's tobacco warehouse, also damaged Smith's hardware store, causing $3,500 loss.

EASTON.—Convicted of stealing an old straw hat and a screw driver from the sexton of a church, Edward Whelan was sentenced to serve ten years in the penitentiary.

KITTANNING.—A registered letter containing $10 was stolen at the postoffice while W. H. Reichert, a clerk, had his back turned. Later the empty envelope was found on the floor.

ALLENTOWN.—The Idlewild hotel, on the Lehigh mountain, along the Philadelphia trolley line, three miles south of Allentown, was totally destroyed by fire of unknown origin.

BUTLER.—Scores of children in Butler affected with poisoning about the mouth have been declared by physicians to be suffering from the effects of eating penny ice cream cones.

BUTLER.—Claiming her life is made intolerable because of her mother-in-law, with whom her husband persists in living, Mrs. Ervine D. Boyer has filed action for divorce.

BEAVER FALLS.—The Beaver Falls school board fixed the millage for the coming year at 10 mills, 9 mills for school purposes and 1 mill for library. The College Hill millage was fixed at 8 mills.

OIL CITY.—Engineer Frank Geigel, Fireman W. Hartle and Brakeman C. H. Schnell, all of Oil City, were seriously injured at Summerdale by a bursting flue in the boiler of a Pennsylvania locomotive.

LEETSDALE.—Louis Fyre, 30 years old, was struck by a Beaver Valley traction car at Leetsdale and sustained a fractured skull. He died on the way to Sewickley hospital. Mr. Fyre lived in Leetsdale.

HARRISBURG.—After being out 22 hours the jury in the case of five men charged with conspiracy to defraud the state by rendering a false bill for metallic furniture for the new capitol brought in a verdict of not guilty.

MONESSEN.—While watching a twilight ball game on the river bank Frank Croman, aged 28, was shot and perhaps mortally wounded. The bullet entered the spine and split the spinal cord. The shooting is shrouded in mystery.

PITTSBURG.—After spending the evening with his sweetheart, who lives in the vicinity of Thirty-third street, Albert Thomas, aged 23, South side, was set upon by two foreigners hiding behind a telegraph pole, and was probably fatally stabbed in the abdomen.

ALTOONA.—The police rounded up a gang of alleged shop-lifters who had made a tour of Eleventh avenue business places. In addition to suits, shoes, underwear, jewelry, and the like, taken from the alleged thieves, a wagonload of plunder, it is said, remains to be recovered.

LEECHBURG. — When this borough won a suit recently against the water company, compelling it to reduce its rate for each water plug, residents thought a great battle had been won. The water company has now given notice that an advance will soon be made in the rates for water for domestic use, which will more than make up for the loss on water plugs.

YORK.—Alleging his wife took advantage of his blindness to ill treat him, Walter Hawkins brought charges against her. Hawkins lost his sight in a railroad accident some time ago, and since then, he alleges, his wife has beaten him.

MEADVILLE.—Clyde Hamilton, aged 19, was gored to death by a bull. When the boy, who was a cripple, attempted to drive cattle from pasture the bull attacked him, and he was found lying in the field, the bull still pawing his dead body.

HARRISBURG. — Allegheny county sent to the state treasury a check for $329,532.66, representing the county's share of mercantile and liquor licenses.

IRWIN.—Andrew Rebish, a miner, tried to enlist police help in a hunt for his wife, who, he alleged, left with one of their boarders. Rebish claims $250 is missing.

ERIE. — Because her lover had spurned her Gertrude Kendie, aged 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John V. Kendie, committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid.

WILKESBARRE.—Parke E. Clelan was murdered and Councilman William Vanderburg was fatally wounded by five Italian desperadoes on the streets of Pittston.

BUTLER.—Summoned by neighbors to interfere in a family quarrel at the home of John Devon, Constable Elmer Miller was attacked after he had saved the wife from a beating.

GREENVILLE.—Conneaut Lake is stirred over the depredations of a band of burglars, which includes a woman. Many business places and dwellings have been robbed.

YORK.—Setting his own partly dislocated neck before the strain upon the spinal cord would result fatally, Edward Brooks, a farmer near Paradise, this county, will probably recover.

NEW KENSINGTON. — Giovanni Catuano, who had been missing for some time, was found dead in the yards of the Allegheny Valley railroad here. There were no evidences of violence.

SCRANTON. — Nazzanthe d'Sando, an Italian merchant of Dunmore, was shot and killed not more than 100 yards from his home. The shooting was the outcome of an altercation with an unknown man.

WILKESBARRE—John Kraucholsky of Nanticoke was shot down and killed while walking on Broadway in that city and Waldimir Rispkosky, who is charged with the murder, was captured and lodged in jail.

WARREN.—Freda, the 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Brown of Forest street, coughed up a tack in a violent fit of coughing. The child swallowed the tack three years ago. It was black from oxidization.

PHILADELPHIA.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Co., in its answer to the suits against coal carrying roads on the part of the government, alleges that the Hepburn act, under which the suits are brought, is unconstitutional.

BEAVER FALLS. — The grocery store of Joseph Roys was robbed of two gold watches, a gold chain and other jewelry, besides pies and other eatables. This is the tenth time the store has been robbed within two years.

GREENSBURG.—A sensation was created here by the arrest of Jacob Murphy, assistant superintendent of the Westmoreland county court house, upon a charge of falsifying election returns at the uniform primaries last April.

ZELIENPOLE.—Searchers for Miss Minnie Eichenhaur, 17 years old, who had been missing from her home near here several days, found her body hanging to a tree in the woods near her home. No cause for the suicide is known.

HARRISBURG. — State Zoologist Surface has received a number of specimens of potato bugs in his office mail this month. Some of them come from Lebanon county and are said to be tortoise beetles. They are very destructive and the state authorities will try to exterminate them.

HARRISBURG.—Ira Dale Meals, son of Mayor Meals of this city, has been appointed assistant resident clerk of the house of representatives to serve until the second week in next January. He takes the place of W. W. Caldwell, who resigned to become commissioner of highways of Harrisburg.

HARRISBURG.—The state railroad commission has ruled that it cannot exercise jurisdiction in the matter of relief of railroad lines wholly within the state from the provisions of the federal safety appliances act. This subject was brought up by the East Broad Top Railroad and Coal Co., which asked, through President R. S. Seibert and Attorney John D. Dorris, that it be excepted because its lines are within the state.

LATROBE.—The tipple and coalbins of the Elizabeth plant of the Unity-Connellsville Coal and Coke Co. of South Latrobe, which resumed operations several days ago, were struck by lightning and totally destroyed by fire which followed.

HOLLIDAYSBURG.—An effort was made by incendiaries to set fire to 6,000 freight cars in the local yards. Fires were started in four different quarters. Prompt work by the Hollidaysburg fire department prevented a conflagration.

TAFT LEAVES CABINET JUNE 30

LUKE E. WRIGHT WILL BE SECRETARY OF WAR.

Wright's Personal Attributes and Experience Pre-eminently Fit Him for the Position.

Washington, D. C.—Secretary Taft on Friday presented to the president his resignation to take effect June 30, and it was announced at the white house that Luke E. Wright of Tennessee will be appointed secretary of war to succeed Mr. Taft. In making this appointment the president was influenced somewhat by the desire to recognize in an emphatic manner that there is no longer any dividing line between the north and the south and that all good Americans are in thought and deed one, and the president was influenced still more by the fact that Gov. Wright's personal attributes and experience pre-eminently fit him for this particular position.

The correspondence between the president and Secretary Taft relating to the latter's resignation is very brief. Secretary Taft simply said in his resignation: "I hereby tender my resignation as secretary of war to take effect June 30 next."

The president in his reply said: "Your resignation is hereby accepted to take effect June 30."

The resignation was dated Thursday and the acceptance Friday.

RAIN, WIND AND HAIL STORM

Havoc Wrought to Grain and Vegetables in Pittsburg, Western Pennsylvania and Ohio.

Pittsburg, Pa.—A rain, wind and hail storm of unusual severity swept over Pittsburg and western Pennsylvania Friday night, inflicting heavy damage to grain fields and vegetable gardens. One of the tents of the Buffalo Bill Wild West show was partially wrecked. One of the heavier poles was broken and when the canvas fell a panic was threatened.

At Steubenville, O., the storm reached the proportions of a cyclone, unroofing a number of buildings and inflicting damage to the extent of $50,000 or more. Mrs. George Callender was struck by a falling tree and probably fatally injured. Mrs. Samuel Prior and a young daughter were seriously shocked by lightning. The storm struck the packet Queen City in the Ohio river and tearing her from her moorings pushed the boat before the gale. Fifty passengers were panic stricken. Whirling around like a top, the boat was freed from the cyclone's path just in time to prevent collision with a pier. A cloudburst did considerable damage at Mingo Junction and Brilliant, Ohio.

CONFIDENCE IN THE FUTURE

Preparations for Fall Trade Are on a Fairly Liberal Scale, Says Dun's Review of Trade.

New York City.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Preparations for fall trade are on a fairly liberal scale, testifying to confidence in the future, and jobbers receiving moderate supplementary orders for prompt shipment, while retail sales expand in response to seasonable weather. There is some irregularity in reports from the leading industries, footwear factories receiving relatively larger orders than textile mills, while the iron and steel markets still feel the unsettling effects of recent reductions in prices. Building operations increase at many points, creating a better demand for lumber and other materials, but there is still a decrease in most comparisons with last year's volume. Mercantile collections are more prompt and money is abundant, despite continued exports of gold.

Waiting conditions prevail in the iron and steel industry, purchasing being limited to immediate needs, except in the case of steel bars that have been ordered by makers of agricultural implements to the extent of 250,000 tons.

FATAL EXPLOSION IN A MINE

Three Men Are Dead and Seven Injured, Two Seriously, in a Pennsylvania Town.

Monongahela, Pa.—Three miners are dead, two others perhaps fatally burned and five others were injured from an explosion at the Ellsworth No. 1 mine of the Pittsburg Coal Co. near here Friday. Of the victims taken from the mine, John Beal is the only one identified. The others are foreigners whose features were too scorched to be recognized. The two burned men were hurried to the hospital.

Little is known as to the cause of the explosion. It occurred with all but 30 miners working on the day shift had left the workings. Of this number 15 were near the mouth of the slope and rushed out before the force of the explosion reached them.

Fatally Shot by Companion.

Bryan, O.—While playing wild west at the country home of his companion near Edgerton, Harold Jones, 14 years old, of Auburn, Ind., was fatally shot with a revolver by George Carmer.

Firebugs Busy.

Canton, O.—Firebugs are believed to be responsible for a blaze in different parts of the city Friday morning, which total 10 recent conflagrations of supposed incendiary origin.

You Read the Other Fellow's Ad

You are reading this one. That should convince you that advertising in these columns is a profitable proposition; that it will bring business to your store. The fact that the other fellow advertises is probably the reason he is getting more business than is falling to you. Would it not be well to give the other fellow a chance

To Read Your Ad In These Columns

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is your silent representative. If you sell fine goods that are up-to-date in style and of superior quality it ought to be reflected in your printing. We produce the kind that you need and will not feel ashamed to have represent you. That is the only kind it pays to send out. Send your orders to this office.

The Buyers' Guide

The firms whose names are represented in our advertising columns are worthy of the confidence of every person in the community who has money to spend. The fact that they advertise stamps them as enterprising, progressive men of business, a credit to our town, and deserving of support. Our advertising columns comprise a Buyers' Guide to fair dealing, good goods, honest prices.

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—IS AT—
J. F. PARSONS'

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CURES
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"5-DROPS" taken internally, rids the blood of the poisonous matter and acids which are the direct causes of these diseases. Applied externally it affords almost instant relief from pain, while a permanent cure is being effected by purifying the blood, dissolving the poisonous substance and removing it from the system.

DR. S. D. BLAND
Of Brewton, Ga., writes:

"I had been a sufferer for a number of years with Lumbago and Rheumatism in my arms and legs, and tried all the remedies that I could gather from medical works, and also consulted with a number of the best physicians, but found nothing that gave the relief obtained from "5-DROPS." I shall prescribe it in my practice for rheumatism and kindred diseases."

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If you are suffering with Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Kidney Trouble or any kindred disease, write to us for a trial bottle of "5-DROPS," and test it yourself.

"5-DROPS" can be used any length of time without acquiring a "drug habit," as it is entirely free of opium, cocaine, alcohol, laudanum, and other similar ingredients.

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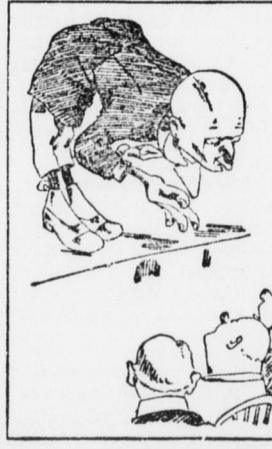
ICE CREAM,
NUT
CONFECTIONERY
Daily Delivery.
All orders given prompt and skillful attention.

Don't Use a Scarecrow

To Drive Away the Mail Order Wolf

You can drive him out quickly if you use the mail order houses' own weapon—advertising. Mail order concerns are spending thousands of dollars every week in order to get trade from the home merchants. Do you think for a minute they would keep it up if they didn't get the business? Don't take it for granted that every one within a radius of 25 miles knows what you have to sell, and what your prices are. Nine times out of ten your prices are lower, but the customer is influenced by the up-to-date advertising of the mail order house. Every article you advertise should be *described* and *priced*. You must tell your story in an interesting way, and when you want to reach the buyers of this community use the columns of this paper.



A MOST TOUCHING APPEAL

falls short of its desired effect if addressed to a small crowd of interested listeners. Mr. Business Man, are you wasting your ammunition on the small crowd that would trade with you anyway, or do you want to reach those who are not particularly interested in your business? If you do, make your appeal for trade to the largest and most intelligent audience in your community, the readers of this paper. They have countless wants. Your ads will be read by them, and they will become your customers. Try it and

SECRETARY TAFT NOMINATED FOR PRESIDENT ON THE FIRST BALLOT

LATER HIS NOMINATION WAS MADE UNANIMOUS—CONGRESSMAN BURTON MADE NOMINATING SPEECH, SECONDED BY GEORGE A. KNIGHT OF CALIFORNIA.

CANNON, FAIRBANKS, FORAKER, HUGHES, KNOX AND LAFOLLETTE PLACED BEFORE THE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION—PLATFORM READ AND ADOPTED.

Chicago, Ill.—For president of the United States, William H. Taft of Ohio. Taft on the first ballot; Taft by 702 votes; Taft by the unanimous choice of the convention.

Such is the record of the culminating day of the Republican national convention of 1908, effected amid scenes of tumultous enthusiasm and after a nerve-tracking continuous session lasting nearly eight hours.

The picture within the walls of the vast amphitheater as the presidential candidate was named Thursday was one truly grandiose in its magnitude. In front, to the right and left, below and above, the billowing sea of humanity, restless after hours of waiting and stirred from one emotion to another, was in a fever of expectancy for the culminating vote. The favorite sons of other states had been named, save Knox and La Follette, and now on the roll call came Ohio. As the Buckeye state was reached, the tall, gaunt form of Theodore E. Burton, with student-like face and severe black clerical garb, advanced to the platform to nominate Ohio's candidate. He spoke fervently, with the singing voice of an evangelist, which went ringing through the great building. He said in part as follows:

"This convention enters upon the grave responsibility of selecting a presidential candidate with the serene assurance that the Republican party will continue to rule this people. What assembled multitude in any land has ever pointed the way to such beneficent results for home and for the progress of the whole human race, as the recurring conventions of this grand old organization? Yet we do not rely alone upon the record of that which it has accomplished. We emphasize, even more, its supreme qualifications to solve the problems of the present.

"Again Ohio presents a candidate to the national Republican convention. In seven stubbornly contested presidential campaigns, sons of her sacred soil have led the enamattled Republican hosts to victory. The Buckeye state has assuredly contributed her share of statesmen and generals for the upbuilding of the nation. But that of which we are prouder still is her stalwart citizenship—the mightiest bulwark of the republic in every commonwealth—made up of America's free yeomen, ever ready to respond to the tocsin of alarm in days of peril, or to crush corruption whenever it raises its menacing head.

"From this citizenship Ohio, in the supreme emergency of the civil war, sent forth more than 200,000 soldiers for our country's defense, a formidable array easily surpassing in numbers the world-conquering legions of imperial Caesar, and even larger than any army ever mustered by Britain for the tented field. But transcendent above all is the fact that Ohio is one of a matchless union of states linked together in everlasting bonds of amity and constituting an empire wonderful in power and almost immeasurable in extent. Each sovereign state alone would occupy but a subordinate place in the great current of the world's events, but when represented by one of 46 bright stars on a field of stainless blue, every one forms part of an emblem of union and of strength more beautiful far than the most brilliant constellation in the heavens.

"The most perplexing questions of today arise from the bountiful development of our material wealth. Such a development can not occur without the creation of inequalities and dangers to the social fabric. I most strenuously deny that the American business man or the American citizen cherishes lower standards than the citizens of any other country. The American people are by no means depraved. But by reason of their busy absorption in varied pursuits and of the glamour which attends success in great undertakings, questionable methods have been able to engraft themselves upon the business of the country. Rich rewards have too frequently been gained by some who are none too scrupulous. Monopoly, dishonesty and fraud have assumed a prominence which calls for the earnest attention and condemnation of every man who truly loves the republic.

"Against all these abuses and in the work for restoring old ideals of honesty and equality, as well as for higher standards of civic duty, one man has stood preeminent, and that man is Theodore Roosevelt. Against corruption in every form he has set his face with grim determination, prompt and fearless in action and with that intelligent leadership which has assured the establishment of a better era in which the strong and the weak alike must submit themselves to the impartial execution of the law.

"Since the day when, less than 30 years of age, Mr. Taft denounced, with burning words, a member of his profession who had been guilty of flagrantly vicious practices and had demoralized the community, he has ever been associated with the cause of the true reform—with that reform which will not content itself with academic dissertation or hollow words. He has been imbued with the spirit of action. His advocacy of sound-money conditions has never arisen from a desire for the exploitation of himself. It has always been based upon unswerving integrity and the courage to speak the truth, as he understands it, on all occasions, no matter how influential or powerful the evils which he may attack.

"Although of an aggressive personality, he possesses an infinite good nature, a charm of manner and a poise which have made him a model for exalted station. In the final analysis even the highest officials must be judged as men, and under this criterion Secretary Taft is now and will ever be known for his broad sympathies with every grade of humanity and as one invariably actuated by that democratic spirit which should characterize a progressive American. And yet no one can for a moment hesitate to recognize his severity in dealing with wrong-doing. While no honest enterprise need fear him, no dishonest scheme could hope to hide its face from the light or to escape punishment.

"Thus in this new era of larger relations, Secretary Taft, with his comprehension of national and international subjects, would furnish a certainty of peace and sustained prestige. Under him, at home and everywhere, this mighty people would have an assured confidence in the secure development and progress of the country and would rest in the reliance that a chief executive was at the helm who, in peace or in war, would guide the destinies of the nation with a strong hand and with a gentle, patriotic heart.

"And so today, in the presence of more than 10,000, and with the inspiring thought of the well-nigh 10,000 times 10,000 who dwell within our borders, I nominate for the presidency that perfect type of American manhood, that peerless representative of the noblest ideals in our national life, William H. Taft of Ohio."

The close of his speech of nomination was the signal for loosening the long pent-up feeling of the Taft legions. Instantly the Ohio delegates were on their feet, other Taft states following, while the convention hosts, in gallery and on floor, broke into mad demonstration. "Taft, Taft, W. H. Taft," came in a roar from the Ohioans. Megaphones seemed to spring from concealed places and swell the Taft tumult into thunder. A huge blue silk banner bearing the familiar features of the statesman-secretary was swung before the delegates, awakening a fresh whirlwind of enthusiasm.

All semblance of order had been abandoned and the delegates' arena was a maelstrom of gesticulating men; the guidons of the states were snatched up by the Taft enthusiasts or borne under by the storm of disorder. The band was inaudible—a mere whisper above the deafening volume of sound. For 10, 15, then 20 minutes this uproar continued. It was a repetition of the scene of Wednesday, when the name of Roosevelt threw the convention into a frenzy, repeated in intensity and almost in duration. But there is a limit to the physical resources of throat and lungs; relays had not been established and at last the tired voices died down to a hoarse shout and at last subsided.

This lull now gave the opportunity for the speech seconding Taft's nomination, by George A. Knight of California, his big, round face beaming forth on the sympathetic multitude, and his splendid baritone voice swelling forth like the tones of a great church organ. In brief he said:

JOSEPH G. CANNON.

"The cedars in the garden of God could not hide him; the fir trees were not like his boughs and the chestnut trees were not like his branches, nor any tree in the garden of God like unto him in his beauty.'

"The time has come for this historic organization to again choose an executive whose fitness is up to the high standards of the past. It is not often that the occasion calls upon experience to walk in the path of high official life in true companionship, but forceful circumstances writes at this most opportune time the name of William H. Taft as a leader of men. His purity of character, blended with ability and experience is a trinity of power that makes him a fit successor of those who have enriched our history with their patriotic lives. I second the nomination of William H. Taft, collegiate, lawyer, judge, diplomat, true American. With such a leader we know that 'the scepter shall not depart from Judah till Shiloh come.'"

Now there was a lull, while the remaining candidates were placed in nomination.

It was late in the afternoon before the convention, now literally sweltering with the intense heat and weary after nearly seven hours of continuous session, reached the end of the flood of eloquence and the decks were at last cleared for the culminating act—the ballot. But no, just as the last swell of oratory, the seconding speech for La Follette, had died away, like a cyclone from a clear sky burst a La Follette demonstration which swept the convention from its very bearings. It was the same deafening wave of sound that had greeted Roosevelt Wednesday and Taft a little while before, intense and maddening and with the vital ring of genuine enthusiasm. It seemed as though Wisconsin had suddenly peopled every foot of the galleries. The delegates sat calm and waiting except the frantic Wisconsins, but the convention for the time being was in the possession of the galleries.

Now a singular transformation occurred—gradually the whirlwind veered from the La Follette to Roosevelt. A banner bearing the Roosevelt portrait and waved from the gallery was the signal for the change, but in the confused babel of voices there was no distinguishing where the La Follette cheers ended and those for Roosevelt began.

Amid this pandemonium and with the galleries in full control, Chairman Lodge decided upon heroic action in order again to make the convention master of its affairs. He ordered the roll call of states to begin for the vote on president. Such a call, under such circumstances of intense confusion, has probably never before occurred in the history of national conventions.

A ballot was taken to nominate a candidate for president while the convention was cheering frantically for a man whose name had not been presented to the convention. The votes were being counted for Taft while the people were shouting for Roosevelt. The delegates, however, cast their votes uninfluenced by the clamor of the crowd. More than this, the first states on the call, Alabama and Arkansas, had been relied upon by a few Roosevelt fanatics to start the stampede for the president, but they held by their instructions while the stampede raged all about them.

The secretary was powerless to make his call of the states heard above the deafening clamor. Seizing a megaphone he shouted the roll of states—Alabama, Arkansas—but his voice was swallowed up in the mad uproar. Gradually, however, the curiosity of the multitude conquered their enthusiasm and they lapsed into silence to hear the result of the roll call.

A hush of expectancy hung over the assembly as the call proceeded. Hasty summaries showed that Taft was far in advance. When New York was reached the Taft column totalled 427. Ohio carried the Taft total to 511, or 20 more than enough to nominate. Still the call went on until the final result was announced by Chairman Lodge:

"For Theodore Roosevelt 3 votes, for Joseph B. Foraker of Ohio 16 votes, for Charles W. Fairbanks of Indiana 40 votes, for Joseph G. Cannon of Illinois 61 votes, for Robert La Follette of Wisconsin 25 votes, for Charles E. Hughes of New York 63 votes, for Philander C. Knox of Pennsylvania 68 votes, and for William H. Taft of Ohio 702 votes."

A great shout went up as Lodge concluded his announcement and with one accord the cohorts of Cannon and Knox and Hughes and other heroes, joined in a common tribute for the candidate of the party.

Gen. Stewart L. Woodford, for Gov. Hughes, leaping upon a chair, moved to make the nomination of Taft unanimous; Senator Penrose for Knox, and Boutelle for Cannon, and Henry of Georgia, for Foraker, and Wisconsin for La Follette, seconded the movement for a unanimous vote to the candidate. The vote was given with a ringing cheer and then with shouts of exultation over the new candidate the convention adjourned until 10 o'clock Friday morning.

Earlier in the day the battle over the platform had occupied the close attention of delegates and spectators. The platform as framed by the committee on resolutions was read by its chairman, Senator Hopkins of Illinois, while a minority report, reflecting the views of the supporters of Senator La Follette was presented by Congressman Cooper of Wisconsin. It was on one hand the sledge-hammer blows of the Wisconsin men against combinations and monopoly and on the other hand the warning of Hopkins against the "socialistic doctrines of Wisconsin." The platform was adopted by an overwhelming vote, after many separate planks in the Wisconsin plan had been buried under adverse votes.

THE PLATFORM.

The Republican platform, as finally agreed on by the resolutions committee, in substance is as follows:

Lauds Party and Roosevelt.

The Republican party is praised for all progress the United States has made at home and abroad and Roosevelt's administration is lauded as the greatest "since national sovereignty was won under Washington and preserved under Lincoln," and the achievements are recited which "will make for Theodore Roosevelt his place in history," and the party's unfaltering adherence in his policies and their continuance is pledged.

The statement is made that this nation is the richest and that the Republican party stands for equal opportunity for all.

Business Revival.

The people are congratulated on the country's safe passage through the recent panic and especially on the fact that the panic did not come during a Democratic administration. More congratulations are expressed over the revival of business.

Many Wise Laws.

Congress is praised for enacting many wise, progressive laws and the Democrats' filibuster is blamed for failure to enact many others.

Tariff Revision.

The party is pledged to revision of the tariff by a special session of congress immediately following the inauguration of the next president.

Currency Laws.

Recent currency legislation is strongly commended and the party pledged to develop a permanent currency system to protect against stringency in the future.

Postal Savings Banks.

The platform favors establishment of a postal savings bank system "for the convenience of the people and encouragement of thrift."

True Legislation.

The Sherman anti-trust law, "passed over Democratic opposition," is commended and the recommendation is made that the Roosevelt amendment be added, giving the federal government greater supervision and control, and secure greater publicity in the management of interstate corporations.

Railroads.

The railroad rate law and its rigorous enforcement are commended and an amendment is urged giving railroads authority to make traffic agreements under government supervision and such legislation as will prevent over-issue of stocks and bonds.

Railroads and U. S. Employes.

The various arbitration, liability, safety appliance and hours-of-labor laws are commended and the party pledged to go still further in making safer and better conditions of railway and government employes.

PHILANDER C. KNOX.

Wage Earners Generally.

The child labor, the eight-hour law and other labor legislation, are praised and the platform pledges enactment of still more laws for the benefit of wage earners.

Labor Injunctions.

"The Republican party will uphold at all times the authority and integrity of the courts, state and federal, and will ever insist that their powers to enforce their process and to protect life, liberty and property shall be preserved inviolate. We believe, however, that the rules of procedure in the federal courts, with respect to the issuance to the writ of injunction, or temporary restraining order, should be more accurately defined by statute and that no injunction, or temporary restraining order, should be issued without notice, except where irreparable injury would result from delay, in which case a speedy hearing thereafter should be granted."

Laws for Farmers.

Extension of rural free delivery to every farmer, and the building of good roads more largely at public expense, are favored.

Rights of Negro.

Equal justice for men of all colors is demanded and all efforts to deprive the negro of citizenship rights are condemned as un-American.

Resources and Waterways.

The Roosevelt moves to conserve natural resources and improve waterways are indorsed and the party pledged to continue the work by wise laws.

Army and Navy.

The party is pledged to enact laws to keep both army and navy prepared for war. Recent laws on both branches of the service are praised.

Protection to all American citizens abroad is pledged, and all efforts promised to extend foreign commerce, especially with Central and South America and Mexico. The accomplishments of Secretary Root and The Hague arbitration treaties are indorsed.

Merchant Marine.

Legislation is urged to revive the nation's marine prestige.

Veterans and Pensions.

Generous provision is pledged for the veterans of all wars and those dependent upon them, and the recent widows' pension bill is especially commended.

Civil service laws are commended and strict adherence to them pledged.

Health, Mines and Islands.

Legislation to improve the public health and to create a bureau of mines is urged.

The hope is expressed that Cuba soon can take hold of its own government. Conduct of affairs in Porto Rico, Hawaii and Philippines and progress of Panama canal work are commended.

The immediate admission of New Mexico and Arizona as separate states is favored.

February 12, 1909, the one hundredth anniversary of Lincoln's birth, should be celebrated to teach patriotism.

Democratic Incapacity.

The platform says the Democrats are incapacitated for government and declares they always have stood on the wrong side of great questions. Several hundred words are devoted to telling the differences between the two parties.

It was not until four hours had been spent over the platform that the convention was ready to proceed with the nominating speeches for president. First came the nomination of Cannon by Representative Boutell of Illinois, seconded by Representative Fordney of Michigan which awakened a welcoming yell for the "grand old man" of Illinois. The nominating speech for Fairbanks by Gov. Hanly of Indiana was made amid intense confusion and constant interruption. Smarting under these discourtesies toward the governor, Mayor Bookwalter of Indianapolis began his speech seconding the nomination of Fairbanks with a cutting allusion to the "steam roller" which was crushing out all opposition. The convention gave enthusiastic welcome to the name of Hughes as Gen. Woodford presented the governor's candidacy in fervent words. The name of Senator Foraker was placed in nomination by Judge C. B. McCoy of Ohio, and seconded by the eloquent negro delegate from Georgia, W. O. Emery, the latter winning a true ovation as he closed the splendid tribute to Foraker in the name of two million black voters. The call of Pennsylvania brought the Keystone delegation to their feet in a wild demonstration for Knox, and a little later Wisconsin followed with its enthusiastic tribute to Wisconsin's candidate, Senator La Follette. The speeches concluded, the time for balloting arrived.

Notification Committee.

The following is the committee appointed to notify William H. Taft of his nomination: Alabama, M. L. Steele; Arkansas, Frank H. Kennedy; California, Geo. C. Ross; Colorado, Thomas F. Walsh; Connecticut, Charles H. Clark; Delaware, Preston Lea; Florida, Joseph H. Lee; Georgia, J. B. Garton; Idaho, James H. Brady; Illinois, Roy O. West; Indiana, George Ade; Iowa, A. D. Clark; Kansas, Grant Hornaday; Kentucky, A. R. Burnham; Louisiana, not selected; Maine, Edward P. Ricker; Maryland, Felix Agnus; Massachusetts, Sidney O. Bigney; Michigan, George P. Codd; Minnesota, U. M. Buck; Mississippi, L. B. Mosely; Missouri, Jeptha D. Howe; Montana, Charles R. Leonard; Nebraska, W. A. George; Nevada, Oscar J. Smith; New Hampshire, Alfred Howard; New Jersey, Ferdinand W. Roebling; New York, Otto T. Bannard; North Carolina, Charles J. Harris; North Dakota, C. J. Lord; Ohio, J. Warren Keifer; Oklahoma, Charles Zeley; Oregon, Asa B. Thompson; Pennsylvania, C. A. Rook; Rhode Island, Joseph E. Fletcher; South Carolina, J. R. Adams; South Dakota, A. W. Ewart; Tennessee, not selected; Texas, Eugene Nolte; Utah, C. E. Loose; Vermont, Roger W. Hulburd; Virginia, C. M. Gibbons; Washington, C. S. Eaton; West Virginia, Charles F. Teeter; Wisconsin, John T. Murphy; Wyoming, Frank W. Mandell; Alaska, Frank H. Hitchcock; Arizona, R. E. Sloan; District of Columbia, Henry H. Flather; Hawaii, George R. McClellan; New Mexico, W. H. H. Lewellyn; Philippine Islands, not selected; Porto Rico, F. B. Quintenez.

FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

Chairman New called the convention to order.

Senator Burrows of Michigan made temporary presiding officer of the convention, and in a speech sounded the keynote of the assemblage.

SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

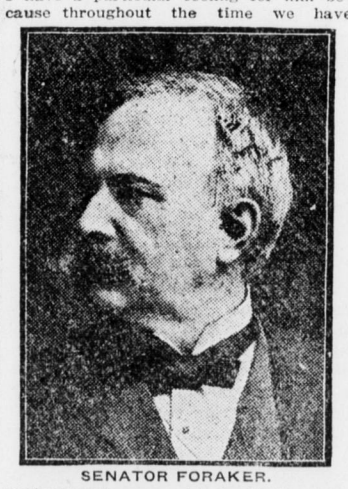
Convention made permanent and Senator Lodge of Massachusetts chosen chairman.

Credentials committee reported, stating that the action of the national committee as to how the delegates held their seats and voted had been fully justified and upheld.

During Senator Lodge's address, when he mentioned President Roosevelt's name, the convention went wild and cheered and waved banners, hats, handkerchiefs and newspapers. Order was not restored for 45 minutes.

Roosevelt Pleased With Nomination.

Washington, D. C.—Immediately upon on receiving news of the nomination of Secretary Taft for the presidency, President Roosevelt said: "I feel that the country is indeed to be congratulated upon the nomination of Mr. Taft. I have known him intimately for many years and I have a particular feeling for him because throughout the time we have worked for the same object with the same purposes and ideals. I do not believe there could be found in all the country a man so well fitted to be president. He is not only absolutely fearless, absolutely disinterested and upright, but he has the widest acquaintance with the nation's needs without and within and the broadest sympathies with all our citizens."



SENATOR FORAKER.

The Official Ballot.

The following ballot will at Friday's session to be declared official:

Taft—Alabama 22, Arkansas 18, California 20, Colorado 10, Connecticut 14, Delaware 6, Florida 10, Georgia 17, Idaho 6, Illinois 3, Iowa 26, Kansas 20, Kentucky 24, Louisiana 18, Maine 12, Maryland 16, Massachusetts 32, Michigan 27, Minnesota 22, Mississippi 20, Missouri 36, Montana 6, Nebraska 16, Nevada 6, New Hampshire 5, New Jersey 15, New York 19, North Carolina 24, North Dakota 8, Ohio 42, Oklahoma 14, Oregon 8, Pennsylvania 1, Rhode Island 8, South Carolina 13, South Dakota 8, Tennessee 24, Texas 36, Utah 6, Vermont 8, Virginia 21, Washington 10, West Virginia 14, Wisconsin 1, Wyoming 6, Alaska 2, Arizona 2, District of Columbia 1, Hawaii 2, New Mexico 2, Philippine Islands 2, Porto Rico 2. Total, 702.

Cannon—Illinois 51, Michigan 1, New Jersey 3, New York 3. Total, 58.

Fairbanks—Georgia 1, Indiana 30, Kentucky 2, New Hampshire 3, New Jersey 2, South Carolina 2. Total, 40.

Hughes—New York 65, Virginia 2. Total, 67.

Foraker—Georgia 8, Ohio 4, South Carolina 2, Virginia 1, District of Columbia 1. Total, 16.

Knox—New Jersey 4, Pennsylvania 64. Total, 68.

La Follette—Wisconsin 25. Total, 25.

Roosevelt—Pennsylvania 3. Total, 3.

Absent—South Carolina 1.

Total number of delegates 980. Majority 491.

Vote for Vice President.

Alabama, Sherman 19, Murphy 2, Guild 1. Arkansas, Sherman 18. California, Sherman 20. Connecticut, Murphy 14. Colorado, Sherman 9, Murphy 1. Delaware, Sherman 6. Florida, Sherman 10. Georgia, Sherman 26. Idaho, Sherman 6. Illinois, Sherman 51, Murphy 3. Indiana, Sherman 26, Murphy 4. Iowa, Sherman 16, Murphy 4, Guild 7. Kansas, Sherman 19, Murphy 1. Kentucky, Sherman 26. Louisiana, Sherman 15, Murphy 2, Guild 1. Maine, Sherman 9, Guild 3. Maryland, Sherman 16. Massachusetts, Guild 32. Michigan, Sherman 20, Guild 8. Minnesota, Sherman 22. Mississippi, Sherman 14, Murphy 1. Missouri, Sherman 36. Montana, Sherman 6. Nebraska, Sherman 12, Guild 4. Nevada, Sherman 6. New Hampshire, Sherman 8. New Jersey, Murphy 24. New York, Sherman 78. North Carolina, Sherman 24. North Dakota, Sherman 8. Ohio—Sherman 26, Murphy 19, Guild 10. Oklahoma, Sherman 14. Oregon, Sherman 8. Pennsylvania, Sherman 60, Murphy 8. Rhode Island, Sherman 8. South Carolina, Sherman 17, Murphy 1. South Dakota, Sherman 8. Tennessee, Sherman 24. Texas, Sherman 36. Utah, Sherman 6. Vermont, Sherman 8. Virginia, Sherman 24. Washington, Sherman 10. West Virginia, Sherman 13, Fairbanks 1. Wisconsin, Guild 9, Murphy 2, Sherman 4, Sheldon 10. Not voting, 1. Wyoming, Sherman 6. Alaska, Sherman 2. Arizona, Sherman 2. District of Columbia, Sherman 2. Hawaii, Sherman 2. New Mexico, Sherman 2. Philippines, Sherman 2. Porto Rico, Sherman 2. Totals: Sherman, 816; Murphy, 77; Guild, 75; Fairbanks, 1; Sheldon, 10. Absent, 1.

SHERMAN FOR VICE PRESIDENT

NATIONAL REPUBLICAN CONVENTION WINDS UP ITS DELIBERATIONS IN CHICAGO.

OTHER ASPIRANTS VOTED FOR

The Last Day Was Marked by Great Enthusiasm—Sherman Received 816 Votes on the First Ballot.

Chicago, Ill.—Taft and Sherman. This is the ticket of the Republican party flung to the breeze Friday as the Republican convention concluded with the nomination of James S. Sherman of New York for vice president amid a final roar of tumultous demonstration. Again the vast assembly was swept with wave on wave of wild exultant clamor, as the multitude, realizing that at last the work was done and the record made upon which the Republican party goes before the country, united in one last mighty outburst of enthusiastic tribute to the men who will bear forward the standard in the struggle now at hand.

Another inspiring picture was presented Friday as the convention named its candidates for vice president.

The preliminaries were brief, and at 10:30 the nominating speeches for vice president began with a limit of ten minutes to each speaker. On the call of states Delaware yielded to New York, and former Lieut. Gov. Timothy L. Woodruff mounted the platform for a glowing speech, placing in nomination Sherman as New York's choice for the vice presidency.

Mr. Woodruff in opening his remarks called attention to the fact that New York, "the foremost of the commercial and industrial commonwealth of the nation," was the state which in the politics of the country, was the pivotal state of the Union. He was not on the platform, he said, merely for the purpose of presenting a candidate for vice president, but the New York delegation felt that "unless you accord our great state, which has unsuccessfully presented to you a candidate for president, and is, I understand, the only one of the states which presented a candidate for president now presenting to you a candidate for vice president—we feel that unless you accord to us the second place upon the ticket we will be compelled to return to our vast constituency without that essential with which there will be no question as to the certainty of success for the ticket."

No Republican ticket, he said, had ever been defeated with a New York Republican on it except once, "and that was when our opponents were wise enough to select a New York Democrat to head the Democratic ticket."

Mr. Sherman, he declared, was not only known in every position of the state of New York, "but is known and respected in every congressional district represented in this convention."

"On behalf of the united and solid delegation of the great Empire state, the state which is known to every delegate here to be the pivotal state of the Union, for as New York goes so goes the Union, I take the greatest pleasure in presenting to you for what we of New York believe must be your favorable consideration, Congressman James S. Sherman, of New York."

Now came a surprise, as the venerable Cannon, with his Lincoln-like visage and shaggy beard, emerged from the Illinois delegation, and stepping to the platform, was yielded unanimous consent to second the nomination of Sherman. Such a picture of sturdy, homely, plain American citizenship as Cannon appeared, as he advanced before the throng which rose to do him homage, has seldom been seen before a national convention. His serious face was beaded with sweat; his collar, melted to a rag, hung limp about his neck. His vest was thrown wide open, exposing a crumpled shirt, and the sleeves of his black Alapaca coat curled up about his dangling cuffs to his elbows as his waving arms emphasized his ringing words for his colleague and friend—James S. Sherman of New York.

From the outbursts of enthusiasm which greeted every mention of Sherman's name it was plain that the mind of the convention had been made up and that the decision was only to be recorded. But for a moment there was a halt in the Sherman movement, as Senator Lodge, leaving the presiding officer's chair, advanced to nominate Gov. Guild of Massachusetts for the vice presidency. The senator's voice was strained with the exertions of recent days, but he spoke eloquently and forcibly for the Massachusetts candidate. Michigan, through Chase Osborn, added her voice for Guild and New Jersey brought forward her favorite son, in a speech by Thomas E. McCarter, nominating former Gov. Murphy of New Jersey for second place on the ticket.

The steady advance of the Sherman movement now began again, as state after state fell into line—North Carolina, in a ringing speech from the floor by Harry Skinner, Oklahoma by Dennis T. Flynn, Pennsylvania by Congressman Myron Olmstead, Tennessee by H. Clay Evans and Virginia by C. B. Slemp.

Now began the vote, taken amid confusion at first, which increased as the totals climbed upward to the nominating point. The result was never in doubt as the totals of states were heaped one upon another. There were scattering votes, but the great body of delegates swelled the total of Sherman until it touched 816. With keen appreciation of the effect of the climax, Chairman Lodge announced the result, reserving Sherman's sure total until the last:

"Vice President Fairbanks gets 1 vote; Gov. Sheldon of Nebraska 10 votes; Gov. Guild of Massachusetts 75 votes; Gov. Murphy of New Jersey 77 votes, and James Schoolcraft Sherman of New York 816 votes."

Again the flood gates of enthusiasm were let loose as floor and gallery joined in a pandemonium of demonstration for the nominee.

The nominations completed, final details were now quickly perfected—committees from the various states to wait upon the candidates for president and vice president, and formally notify them of the action of the convention in nominating them; prospective meetings of the national committee to perfect plans for the coming campaign; and thanks and congratulations to the Chicagoans who have given a convention of such perfect equipment. And then, just before noon, amid cheers still echoing, and the inspiring strains of the national anthem, the national convention finally adjourned and the multitude dispersed.

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It is indeed gratifying to all Republicans to see how popular the Republican candidates, nominated at Chicago, are with all classes. Both Taft and Sherman are plain, matter of fact Americans, men who will do their duty without fear or favor. The press of the country, from which we quote a few extracts, speak in the highest terms of the nominees.

The Philadelphia Press says: "In all our history only two or three presidents have come to the presidential chair with a preparation as complete or a mastery as visible of the problems of the presidency, the fruit of experience, action and achievement. His nomination follows the proved deeds of a life spent in the public service, where he has never failed in a task and has never disappointed expectancy, high as his own record has made the expectation of men.

"There is no side of American life with which he is unfamiliar, and on all he has displayed knowledge, courage and principle. His judicial decisions show his grasp and command of the legal and constitutional problems of railroad and trust. He has attacked the boss and the corrupt machine in his own party. He has told the truth to Southern Republicans, and in the north he has courageously asserted, in the face of interested clamor, the necessity of a revision of the tariff on lines which will consider due protection to American labor, the promotion of our industry and the growth of our foreign trade. Nor has our diplomacy a more brilliant triumph than the success with which he secured a settlement of the tangled issues centering about the property of the orders of friars in the Philippines, on terms honorable to the United States, satisfactory to the Philippine people and accepted as just and generous by the highest authority of the church to which these orders belonged."

The Pittsburg Gazette Times grows eloquent in his praise when it says: "The Republican nominee for president of the United States is skilled in statesmanship and diplomacy. He is an administrator of experience, tried and tested in many difficult places where to fail meant disaster. In each and in all he has filled full the measures of his trust and proven himself a man—whole hearted, whole souled, courageous, patriotic, unselfish as it is possible for anyone to be, firm for the rights of his country, considerate of the rights of others and especially of the weak; such a man as reflects honor upon the American flag, the American family relation, upon American manhood, upon American citizenship; a son, a husband, a father, a brother, a friend, a public official who may be taken by all as a model in those various relations of human life; a man who stands four-square, whose word is his bond, who is fit to be at the apex of American life, as the president of the people, because he typifies all that is best and purest and most approved, and with this is human in every fibre, as sympathetic as he is strong, red blooded and warm hearted—an ideal American.

The Hon. William Howard Taft is fit to be president of the United States. He will be president.

We take the following as a small part of a leading editorial in the Philadelphia Ledger, and the expression from this well known newspaper indicates how conservative journals look upon the Taft nomination: "Of all the presidential candidates within the memory of this generation, Taft is unquestionably the best equipped, in training and experience and in wide and close contact with large affairs.

With Taft as the candidate, the mere phraseology of the platform is of little consequence. Dissent from the "Roosevelt policies" has been much less from their real purposes than from the manner of their enforcement, which has frequently obscured the righteous ends which all honest men applaud and excited fears not always justified in fact. With the president's high ideals and high achievements Mr. Taft is without doubt in fullest sympathy. But his different mental training, his deep-rooted respect for historic law and orderly procedure, his patient and conciliatory temperament, mark him as peculiarly the man to take up the constructive work which Mr. Roosevelt has made possible, and thus to carry on even the debated "policies" with a safe and sound conservatism that will re-establish confidence and win support?

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From our Regular Correspondent.]

Washington, June 20, 1908.

"I am deeply grateful to my friends of this city and to my really great friend—the man in the White House. I appreciate the loyalty and unswerving support accorded to me, and it shall be my duty to show by my actions and attitude that I am not unmindful of the great honor bestowed upon me." These were the words with which Secretary Taft greeted the Commissioners of the District of Columbia and some five hundred members of the University Club of this city on the night of his nomination for the office of Chief Magistrate of the nation, as he stood on the lawn at his home 1603 K Street, northwest, with Mrs. Taft and his daughter on his right. The entire membership of the club, of which Judge Taft is a member, turned out to do honor to the Secretary, and augmented by an enthusiastic crowd of several thousand men, women and children, rent the air with cheers, while fireworks were exploded on the ground in front of the club house on the opposite side of the street, and a band played 'Hail to the Chief."

Associates of Mr. Taft in President Roosevelt's cabinet gave out statements for publication, expressing their pleasure at his nomination and their view of its significance. Three sentences in the statement given out by President Roosevelt, however, voice the sentiment of them all: "I do not believe there could be found in all the country a man so well fitted to be President. He is not only absolutely fearless, absolutely disinterested and upright, but he has the widest acquaintance with the nation's needs, without and within, and the broadest sympathies with all our citizens. He would be as emphatically a President of the plain people as Lincoln, yet not Lincoln himself would be freer from the least taint of demagogy, the least tendency to arouse or appeal to class hatred of any kind."

Senator Foraker who has been indisposed and in Washington for some time, gave out a statement in which he said, among other things: "It is no longer a question of men but a question of parties. In this way Secretary Taft becomes my candidate for the Presidency, and while under all circstances I can probably do but little, yet I shall do all I can to help elect him. Republicans will now quit contending among themselves, and turn all their guns on the common enemy."

An order has been issued by the District Commissioners to the effect that "every dog in the District of Columbia shall, for a period of six months from this date, wear a good and substantial muzzle, securely put on, so as to prevent it from biting and snapping, and any dog going at large during said period without such muzzle shall be taken up by the pound master and impounded. Washington has undergone quite a "mad dog" scare and in fact is still in the throes, hence the issuance of the above edict for the safety of the inhabitants of the Capitol.

The story sent out from Chicago which stated that President Roosevelt, sitting in the White House, heard in person, with the telephone receiver to his ear, the cheering which greeted the mention of his name by Senator Lodge on Wednesday, has been pronounced "a fake" by Secretary Loeb. According to Secretary Loeb, the only news received at the White House from Chicago is by the Postal Telegraph and Western Union bulletins.

Secretary of State Root will leave Washington on Saturday for his home at Clinton, N. Y., to join the members of his family who left some time ago. It was rumored that the Secretary was going again to Muldoon's place, near White Plains, N. Y., to take a course of physical training, but this has been denied recently at the Secretary's office.

Mrs. Taft was quite the happiest woman in Washington on the day of her husband's nomination though she was composed. She said they had made no plans to get away from Washington any particular day and while they had expected for some time to go to Cincinnatti in July she did not know the exact date of their departure.

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LUCAS COUNTY. }

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The Boy's Brigade.

By B. Th. Bliss.

The United Boy's Brigade of America is a religious organization in Military form composed of boys of twelve years and upward, and is represented in every continent in the world and spoken of by those thoroughly familiar with the subject as "The grandest boys movement that the world has everf seen."

The object is the advancement o Christ's Kingdom among boys and the promotion of habits of obedience, reverence, discipline, self respect and all that tends toward a true Christian manliness. This object is successfully accomplished by means of Military organization and drills as used in the Infantry, hospital, signal and other departments of the United States Army.

The Boys Brigade was organized in Scotland by Gen. William Smith of Glasgow, in October 1883. At present there are over twenty-five thousand boys belonging to the organization in America. There are fourteen companies in Philadelphia and four thousand members in the entire state. National Headquarters is located at Pittsburg, Pa., and Lieutenant-General H. P. Bope is Commander-in-Chief of the organization.

Major-General Clement M. Devine is in command of the Divison of Pennsylvania with headquarters located at Philadelphia.

The organization is as follows: Two or more companies form a Battallion; two or more battallions a regiment and five or more regiments constitute a brigade.

The company is the working unit and it must be connected with a church, mission, Sunday school or other christian organization which shall have full control of the religious instruction of the company.

The companies are officered by gentlemen desirous of promoting the object of the Brigade.

Each company is under the command of a captain, whose junior officers are lieutenants. Two or more companies in a town usually organize, with the sanction of headquarters, into a battallion. We have three companies organized or nearly organized in Ridgway—Co. I of the Episcopal church, Co. K of the M. E. church, and Co L of the Presbyterian church. Also one company, Co. M of fifty six members organized at Emporium, Pa. These companies form the third battallion of the fifth regiment of which Col. A. D. Burns of Bradford is in command and of which I have the honor to be major.

Co. I has been organized nearly four years and during that time the members have drilled faithfully and well and acquired considerable proficiency.

Companies K and L are at the present being recruited up to their full complement; are starting out with every prospect of success and deserve to receive the hearty co-operation of the parents of every boy of suitable age who may enlist.

Co. M of Emporium is comprised of fifty-six members of all denominations. This company is very enthusiastic in the work and is a credit to the third battallion and the fifth regiment.

Before joining one of these companies each boy is required to sign an enlistment blank containing the following pledge: "God helping me, I promise and pledge that I will do all in my power for the advancement of Christ's Kingdom among boys, and the promotion of habits of obedience, reverence discipline, self-respect and all that tends towrad a true christian manliness; that I will obey faithfully all the Company rules; and and that I will at all times set an example of good conduct to my comrades and other boys."

The ministers of the different churches are elected chaplains of their church companies and have full control of the religious training of the boys.

Military drill according to the United States Drill Regulations adopted June 23, 1904, is used as a means to secure the interest of the members, and train them to habits of obedience, discipline, neatness, promptness, courtesy etc. This drill does not tend to stimulate a spirit of militarism as many suppose, but rather to teach patriotism in its truer sense. True patriotism differs as much from militarism as the spirit of '76 differs from that of some pugilist about to enter the arena. Boys are naturally very patriotic, much more so than men as a rule; they are a little nearer home and home and country means more to them.

Physical exercise is employed to aid the boys to develop strong bodies. These exercises supplement the home training and the parents' aid is needed and expected in developing their sons.

Thorough learning and true principles that govern the body militant, the boy acquires a knowledge that is of inestimable value to him. True health is not acquired by the use of drugs, but by a proper understanding and employment of the physical forces.

The third battallion will go into camp this year, near Ridgway, from July 9 to 17 on the Money farm. The camp will be military in form, and the name of the camp and a routine of camp duty will be published later.

Arrangements are made whereby a chaplain will be present all the time and he will conduct short religious services each evening at Retreat.

There will be between one hundred and fifty and two hundred boys in attendance at this camp, and it is proposed to make it an event that they can always refer to in after years with a great deal of pleasure.

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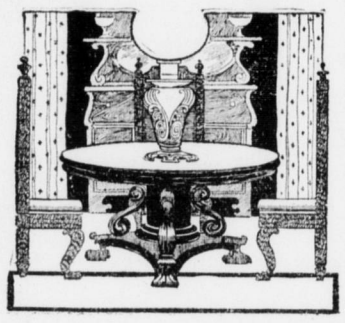

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Not far from Macao, at the mouth of the Canton river, China, is an opium "farm." Standing in a courtyard is the great wooden building devoted to opium manufactures, and in its vestibules are heaps of brown balls, not unlike cocoanuts. Two coolies, seated, cut them open and remove the black, jamlike substance they contain—the compressed poppy. The outer covering is a thick layer of dried leaves. Inside the building the whole place is full of smoke, arising from a hundred charcoal fires in open earthenware "chattis," placed in a row around the walls. Over each fire rests a shallow brass pan in which bubbles a mixture of poppy and water. This mixture is strained through paper and passes on to be more carefully boiled in the next room, where the process is exactly similar. From there it goes to another room, where the sirup is reduced to the consistency of treacle over slow fires. In another building the opium is packed in tiny cans and placed in cases and sealed with the government seal.

A Banker's Generosity.

One day Humboldt was dining with Mendelssohn, the banker, and, an unusual thing for him, was very silent. His host, remarking it, observed to Humboldt that he was sure he must be ill.

"No," said Humboldt, "but I am in great trouble. Only ten minutes before leaving my apartment to come here I received from my landlord a note informing me that he had sold the house in which I reside and that I must move. The very thought drives me to despair. I really cannot bear to move again."

Mendelssohn gradually led Humboldt into conversation, during which he found time to write a note and receive an answer to it. He then took Humboldt aside and said: "By this note I learn that I am now the owner of the house in which you reside. The condition, however, upon which I have become its possessor is that you continue to occupy your apartment in it as long as you live."

Wanted a Bargain.

One day a small Cincinnati boy came to a halt before a sign over a desk in the office of the express company. It gave the rate for money orders, and after studying it for a few minutes he walked up to the cashier and said boldly:

"I want a money order."

"How large a one, my boy?" the clerk inquired benignantly.

"Well, let's see," pondered the little fellow. "The rate for a ten-dollar order is 8 cents, isn't it?"

"Yes; that's right."

"Well, I want a drum and pair of roller skates and a new straw hat and some candy. Ten dollars will be enough."

Then he fished through his pockets and triumphantly placed a nickel and three coppers before the astonished clerk. It took ten minutes to convince the youngster that nothing less than $10.08 could buy a money order for $10.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Boone's Portrait In Oil.

There never was but one oil portrait of Daniel Boone painted from life, and that was by Chester Harding, a distinguished artist of Boston, who came to Missouri in June, 1820, and painted it in the residence of Flanders Callaway, Boone's son-in-law, where Boone was then living, near the village of Marthasville, in Warren county. The Rev. James E. Welch, one of the oldest Baptist preachers in the state and father of Aikman Welch, attorney general of Missouri during Governor Gamble's administration, sat in Boone's bed behind Boone for him to lean against while Harding painted the picture, the pioneer being too feeble to sit alone. Harding's portrait of Boone now hangs in the state capitol at Frankfort, Ky.—Kansas City Star.

The Glass Snake.

The slowworm is the snake which country people tell you has the peculiar property of breaking itself into bits, each piece afterward surviving. The truth differs slightly from the legend. The slowworm is a timid creature and when first captured tightens all its muscles, thus reducing itself to a remarkably rigid state, in which condition it will no doubt snap like a dry twig; but, needless to say, only the upper and vital portions survive the ordeal.—London Globe.

What the Jury Thought.

During a trial for assault in Melbourne a club, a rail, an ax handle, a knife and a shotgun were exhibited as the instruments with which the deed was done. It was also shown that the assaulted man defended himself with a scythe, a revolver, a pitchfork, a chisel, a hand saw and a dog. The jury decided that they'd have given a sovereign apiece to have seen the fight.

A Dainty Combination.

"You can't tell," said uncle to us; "you can't tell. Feller I know that's a aesthetic artist—know what he does? He smokes chewin' terbaccer in a pipe that's made o' rubber. Honest, he does. An' he claims his health is delicut!"—Cleveland Leader.

Didn't Want Agony Prolonged.

Missionary—Will you do me a favor? Cannibal—What is it? Missionary—When you get ready to eat me, I wish you would arrange it so that I can be a quick lunch rather than a course dinner.—New York Press.

Invitation Declined.

"As Shakespeare says," remarked Cassidy, who was fond of airing his "book larnin'," "what's in a name?"

"Well," replied Casey, "call me wan that Oi don't like an' Oi'll show ye."—Kansas City Newsbook.

Paid For the Supplies.

A story said to be characteristic is told of a certain judge. It seems that when he convened court at one of the towns on his circuit it was found that no pens, ink or paper had been provided, and upon inquiry it developed that no county funds were available for this purpose. The judge expressed himself somewhat forcefully, then drew some money from his own pocket. He was about to hand this to the clerk when a visiting lawyer, a high priced imported article, brought on to defend a case of some importance, spoke up in an aside plainly audible over the room.

"Well," he remarked, with infinite contempt, "I've seen some pretty bad courts, but this—well, this is the limit!"

The old judge flushed darkly.

"You are fined $25 for contempt, sir! Hand the money to the clerk!" he said, and when the pompous visitor had humbly complied he continued.

"Now, Mr. Clerk, go out and get what pens, ink and paper the court may require, and if there is anything left over you can give the gentleman his change."—Harper's Weekly.

A Genius at Excuses.

"While I was stage managing a piece some time ago," said a theatrical magnate, "one of my show girls showed an independence of spirit which was superb. She was always late for rehearsal. Her excuses were great. All her friends and relations had a series of maladies which were remarkable in their number and diversity. She nursed them all until they naturally gave up the ghost. About an hour was enough to bury most of them. Then she caught on to mechanical devices. Street cars were invariably late—just as late as she was, in fact. Then in turn came certain inconveniences in hotels. The elevator was continually sticking until finally came the denouement. It was in Philadelphia. The siren did not appear until nearly two hours after the proper time. I looked at her and waited. The excuse came glibly.

"'Oh,' she panted, 'I'm so sorry, but they are repairing the stairs at the hotel, and I could not get down until they brought a ladder!'

"I recognized genius in that girl."—Chicago Record-Herald.

How the Cook Did It.

He had a number of guests to dinner, and he was doing the carving. He had deftly taken two slices off the joint, and he was turning off a third when the blade struck a skewer, made a sliding motion and came out at the top, with the result that the proposed slice looked like a dead leaf curled up by the sun's rays.

He could not say intense things in the presence of his guests, so he froze his wife with a glance, dug the skewer out viciously, made a grim joke concerning the indigestibility of roasted wood and ordered little Willie, who had made several attempts to speak, to keep silent or leave the table.

His evident temper led to an embarrassing silence, and Willie saw an opening that he could not resist.

"Cook burned her nose orful!" he announced.

"Too bad," said the mother, glad of any excuse for conversation. "How did she do it?"

"Why," answered Willie very apropos, "trying to pull them skewers ou with her teeth!"—London Scraps.

An Indignant Artist.

The sensational offers said to have been made by theatrical managers to the principal actor in a recent murder trial must have made professional stars feel very much as did the painter Haydon in 1846 when two of his finest pictures were being shown at the Egyptian hall, and the public thronged into another room where General Tom Thumb was on view. "They rush by thousands to see Tom Thumb," wrote the disappointed painter in his diary. "Their eyes are open, but their sense is shut. It is an insanity, a rabies, a madness, a furor, a dream!" Another entry later on runs: "Tom Thumb had 12,000 people last week, R. R. Haydon 133½ (the half a little girl). Exquisite taste of the English people!" We do not seem to have progressed much since then.—London Chronicle.

Diameter of a Fine Wire.

Should you ever find it necessary to obtain the diameter of a fine wire, it may be done in this manner: Wind it carefully around a piece of pencil in one layer for an inch or so, that each turn is touching the previous one. Then measure exactly an inch along the wire and count the number of turns in the inch. You then have the information. Thus, if there are eighteen turns the wire is one-eighteenth of an inch in diameter.

A Good Man.

"Your dead husband wor a good mon," declared the sympathetic Mrs. Casey to the bereaved widow.

"He wor!" exclaimed Mrs. Murphy, dashing the tears from her eyes. "No two polacemin cud handle him!"—Judge.

Details Desired.

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"Is He Sick?"

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monia which had carried off the victim in record time.

Miss Polly Antrim listened with an odd gleam in her intelligent eyes.

"Wasn't there—that is—didn't he leave a message or anything of that kind for me?" she demanded, when the mate had finished his melancholy recital.

"Oh, yes," replied Mr. Prout hurriedly. "The poor chap sent you his love, an'—an' hoped you'd meet him in heaven—" he concluded in a burst of inspiration.

Polly Antrim glanced at the mate with tightened lips. "Very nice of him," she commented coolly. "Who did you say took his place?"

"Capt. Chester," returned Prout. "Nothing like poor Brundage, though, he ain't."

"I should like to see him," said Miss Antrim. "Perhaps he could tell me something more about Jim."

"Not him," responded the mate, hastily. "He didn't know Jim Brundage, an', anyways," he added as an afterthought, "this here Chester's deaf an' dumb; can't speak a word."

A look of intense surprise deepened on his hearer's countenance.

"Deaf and dumb!" she repeated. "Why, good gracious! how can a deaf mute be captain of a steamer?"

The mate's face flushed. "It's this way," he explained. "His uncle's the main guy of the Sherlock Navigation Company, an' he gave Chester the job. He ain't much of a sailor, an' all the work falls on me."

The girl eyed him steadily. "All the same," she remarked calmly, "I'm bound to see him, for I've made up my mind to go to Chicago on the Arklam."

Mr. Prout uttered a horrified exclamation.

"Back on the Arklam!" he repeated. "What for?"

"To visit Jim's grave," responded the artless Miss Antrim.

"It's the least I can do under the circumstances. And it'll be a sort of consolation to sail on the boat he used to command, poor fellow."

"Well, Capt. Chester's ashore just now," declared the mate, desperately.

"That doesn't matter, I'll see him later," she said, airily. "I'm going home now to pack my things and get ready."

Much aghast at this unexpected turn of fortune's wheel, Mr. Prout sought the presence of his chief, who had prudently remained in seclusion during Miss Antrim's visit. Capt. Brundage, resplendent in a false beard and wig of inky blackness, assumed to deceive his lady love's penetrating optics in case she insisted upon a personal interview, received his officer's tidings with a violent explosion of highly ornamental profanity.

"You've bungled the whole business, you nigger-headed swab!" he said, heatedly. "What the blue blazes are we to do now? If that girl ever lands in Chicago and finds out I'm alive and have a wife and four kids, there'll be the devil to pay."

"'Tain't my fault," protested the mate, sullenly. "What business had you to make love to her? Might have known there'd be trouble."

"I wasn't all to blame, Bill," asserted the captain. "It beats all the shine so many of these girls take to me. Can't understand why they do it."

"Neither can I," agreed the mate, savagely. "It ain't your beauty, I'll swear. Mebbe it's the lies you tell 'em. Some women go daffy over a slack-mouthed liar."

"That's not the point," returned Brundage, sourly. "There's only one way to square it. We don't carry passengers as a rule, and she'll likely be the only one aboard. What you've got to do now is pass the word to the crew to keep their mouths shut, and I'll keep up this deaf and dumb racket. She'll never know me in this rig, 'specially if I only show up after dark."

"And who's to stand your watches?" demanded the mate. "Think I'm a blasted horse to be doing the work of two men? Anyhow, she'll be put wise when she reaches Chicago."

"Well, it'll give me time to think the matter over," said Brundage, hopefully. "You can stand the day watches and I'll come on at night."

Mr. Prout entered a vigorous protest, but in the end his superior's argument prevailed, and he hastened to give the necessary instructions to the members of the crew. True to her word, Miss Polly Antrim installed herself as sole passenger on the Arklam, and the mate proceeded to map out a long and difficult course of deception for what promised to be a memorable voyage.

Capt. Brundage, in the role of the silent Chester, passed muster before the girl's eyes in highly creditable fashion. She made no sign of recognition, and he reflected that the stage must have lost a shining light through his failing to perceive that nature had clearly intended him for an actor. To Mr. Prout fell the agreeable task of entertaining the fair passenger, who exhibited a liveliness of spirit not wholly in keeping with the sorrow of a maiden whom death had deprived of a lover. In fact, the mate, being a single man in the early thirties, found himself yielding to the witchery of her black eyes, and inwardly congratulated himself upon the happy chance which had thrown them together.

On the second day Capt. Brundage saw fit to take the amorous Mr. Prout aside and expostulate with him on the too evident partiality he displayed for Miss Polly's society. The mate listened to his remonstrances and then indulged in a fine burst of longshore rhetoric, liberally flavored with harsh expletives.

"A nice party you are," he concluded, "to come givin' me advice. Wot is it to you if the girl's took a fancy to me? Reg'lar dog in the manger, that's wot you are. Don't want her yourself an' can't bear to see anyone else get her. For two pins I'd blow the whole game, an' then where'd you be?"

"I was speakin' for your good, Bill," pleaded the crestfallen captain. "You don't know wot an artful dame she is."

"An' how about yourself?" queried the mate. "You're a fine honest-hearted innocent to preach about artfulness. Anyway the jig 'ill be up when we make port an' she goes huntin' for your grave."

"That's so," agreed Brundage, dejectedly. "We got to think that over, Bill."

"Think it over yourself," retorted the aggrieved Mr. Prout; "but don't come any nonsense over me, for I won't stand it."

The Arklam was nearing Chicago when Capt. Brundage, sitting alone in his cabin and figuring desperately on some means of escape from the net fate had thrown around him, looked up in surprise as Miss Polly entered and closed the door behind her with an emphatic slam. That done, she sat down and surveyed her quondam suitor with malicious eyes. Brundage stared back with a sickly smile, wondering inwardly what her visit might portend. He was not left long in doubt.

She suddenly stretched forth a slim, white hand, and tore the black beard from his face. Then she set her little foot upon it and spoke with much unction.

"What an awful silly you are, Jim Brundage, to think that you could pull the wool over my eyes."

The captain wagged his head dismally.

"All right, Polly," he said, "you've got me beat. What do you reckon to do?"

"If I was a man," said the girl, scornfully, "I'd thrash you well, but I suppose I must get satisfaction another way. What hurts me most isn't your falseness, but the idea that you considered me such a fool. I've found out all about you, and unless you want your wife to know everything, you'll do as I say.

"When you passed yourself off as a single man you showed me your bankbook and calculated that $500 would start us nicely in housekeeping. Now, when we reach Chicago, Jimmy dear, you'll go straight to the bank, draw $250, and hand it over to me. Then I'll say good-by and you can thank your stars for getting off so easily."

The unmasked conspirator swore bitterly and protested fervently, but Miss Polly was adamant and he finally agreed to her terms. His disclosure to Mr. Prout of the conditions upon which he had surrendered was received by that unfeeling seaman with a hoarse laugh, which was distinctly aggravating to his commander's troubled mind.

The Arklam lay at the Clark street dock with Miss Antrim seated in the captain's cabin placidly awaiting his return from the bank. Beside her laughed Mr. William Prout, smoking the pipe of peace. Brundage entered with a look of intense gloom overshadowing his countenance, and signaled the mate to retire. Miss Polly waved her hand in dissent.

"Stay where you are," she said, genially. "Count out the money, Jim, and hurry up."

The mate grinned broadly as his skipper lugged out the well-known pocketbook, and, sighing deeply, handed $250 in United States currency to his female Nemesis. Polly beamed graciously upon the uncheerful giver.

"That's a good boy, Jim," she said, sweetly, "and now we'll go ashore happy. By the way, it may interest you to know that Mr. Prout and I mean to set up housekeeping on the strength of your kind gift."

The captain's emotion was too deep for mere words to express. He rose to his feet, still staring helplessly, as Miss Antrim, leaning on the arm of the gratified mate, tripped merrily along the gang plank to the wharf.

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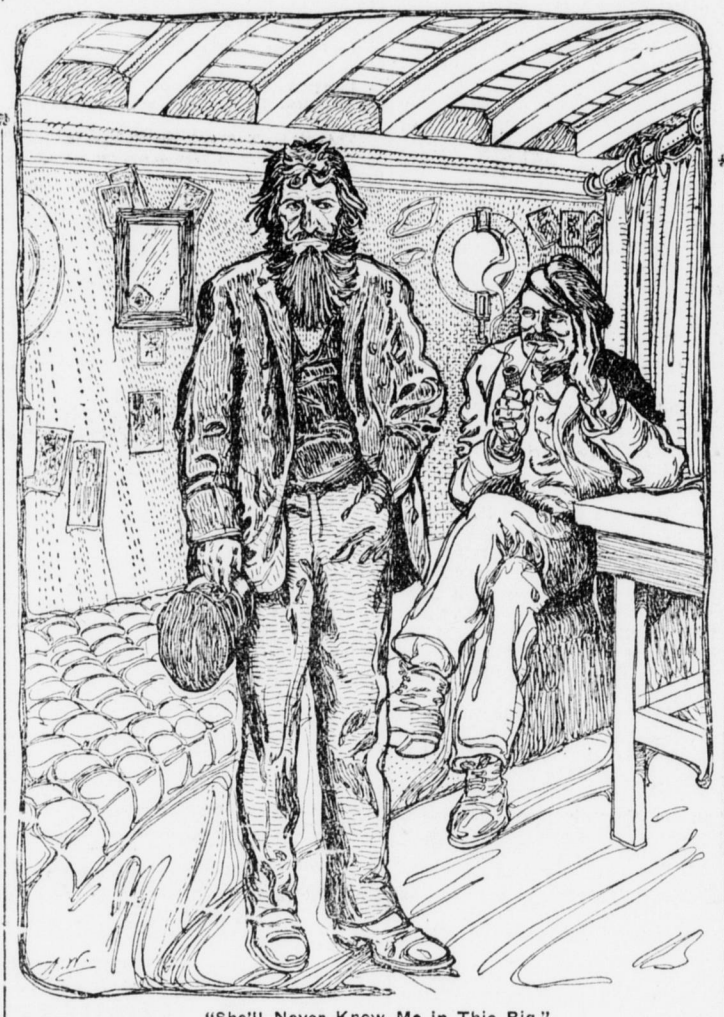

"She'll Never Know Me in This Rig."

"That Done—"

"THEN you'll do it, Bill, for the sake of old times?" queried Capt. Brundage anxiously.

"Yes," said the mate, "for old times' sake and the 25 bucks you promised. Partikerly for the 25 bucks."

The captain eyed him disdainfully.

"If 'twas me," he commented, "I'd be glad to help out a pal, even if I didn't get a cent. That's the kind of man I am."

"An' that's the kind I ain't," rejoined the mate tartly. "So mebbe you'll stow this here moralisin' business an' hand over the coin, so as everything 'll be accordin' to agreement."

The skipper of the steamer Arklam muttered something uncomplimentary under his breath, but producing a bulky pocketbook extracted several bills therefrom and passed them to the mate, who thrust them into his pocket and faced his superior with a satisfied smirk.

"Now that's settled, let's run over your scheme again, so as I can get my right bearin's," he said pleasantly.

"When we get to Buffalo you fix yourself up with a phony beard an' wig, an' if Miss Antrim comes askin' for you I'm to tell her Capt. Brundage died werry sudden in Chicago, an' there's a new skipper in charge."

"Don't forget as I'm supposed to be deaf and dumb," warned the captain. "If she once heard my voice it 'ud queer the whole game."

"Oh, aw right," responded the mate. "Only she must be a bigger fat-head than she looks if she swallows that. Who'd ever believe as a company 'ud hire a deaf dummy for captain of a big steam freighter?"

"She's got to believe it," returned the captain. "Anyway, if she sees me at all, it'll be only for a few minutes, and the news of my death 'ill upset her so that she won't stop to figure out them little details."

"It wouldn't upset me," retorted the mate. "Seems like she oughter be joyful to hear it, if she's got any sense."

"That'll be all from you," growled Brundage in high dudgeon. "Just hold your jaw and do as you're told."

Shortly after the Arklam tied up at the Buffalo docks she was boarded by a buxom young damsel with a determined chin and a pair of snappy black eyes. The watchful mate greeted her at the gang plank, and she acknowledged the salutation with a gracious smile.

"Good morning, Mr. Prout," she said. "Is Capt. Brundage around?"

The mate twisted his features into a becoming semblance of grief.

"I'm sorry to say that I've got bad news for you, Miss Antrim," was the response. He hesitated and shook his head sadly.

"What's the trouble?" inquired the girl, her face a shade paler at the sight of the mate's dolorous visage. "Is he sick?"

"Worse than that, miss," returned the mate in a hoarse whisper. "He's werry bad—that is, I mean he ain't now. He's gone, miss, gone forever."

The girl drew a sharp breath. "What!" she gasped, "you don't mean to say—"

"That he's dead, miss; yes, that's it, an' sorry I am to tell you."

Miss Antrim dabbed a handkerchief hastily across her eyes. "How did it happen?" she asked. "Why, he—he was all right when he left here on his last voyage."

"Step into the cabin," requested the wily Mr. Prout, "an' I'll tell you all about it."

The girl followed him, and seating herself, prepared to listen to the mate's doleful narrative.

In accordance with the instructions of his chief, Mr. William Prout gave a very affecting sketch of the incidents relative to the former's sudden demise, due, as he declared, to a chill followed by an attack of pneu-

NOTES FROM MEADOWBROOK FARM

By William Pitt

Give the little pigs plenty of room to exercise.

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Keep the lambs growing. Don't let them have a back set.

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Shear the tops of early celery and get the plants out as soon as possible.

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An alfalfa field and a bunch of good milch cows puts a farmer on easy street.

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Put in a lot of sweet corn to help out when the pasturage gets short along in July and August.

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Chilly nights and on days when there are cold rains house the sheep. You will be repaid for your trouble.

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The day of low-priced eggs seems gone forever, and the farmer more than ever finds a source of profit in his poultry.

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There is nothing mean or small about the American hen. She is doing great things for the country, especially the farmer.

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Raise the collars on the horses occasionally, and wipe away the sweat. It will prevent chafing and will make the animals feel more comfortable.

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In the feeding of soft and moldy corn some farmers during the past winter have found that sulphur and Glauber salts have prevented any ill results.

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Don't let the taste of the surrounding get into the butter. Set the cream and make the butter in a clean, sweet place away from the odors of the kitchen.

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Know a man by the appearance of his cows when the first go out to pasture. Some men are either too lazy or too ignorant to feed and care for their stock right.

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Watch the cow's bag just before calving. Be sure it does not get in a caky condition. Better milk her occasionally than to run the risk of serious trouble at the time of calving.

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When soil is in the proper physical condition at the time of planting, the cultivation of corn is comparatively easy, provided the cultivations are frequent enough to kill the weeds as soon as they start.

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The experiment stations are advising as a remedy for gapes in young chicks the placing of the affected chicks in a basket over a tub containing a hot brick and some carbolic acid. The chicks must not inhale the fumes more than a minute at a time.

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Aphis, or plant lice, those tiny, black, green or red insects, are more easily killed by using a strong solution of tobacco in water. Or kerosene emulsion, or whale oil soap solution. Apply remedy early, when lice first batch out and before they are hidden by the curl of infested leaves.

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It is only the stock which are increasing in size and weight which are producing a profit for their owner. When a ration is fed which only keeps the stock from losing ground, the farmer is losing money. In some experiments to test the amount of feed needed to keep a 1,000-pound steer in condition without making him grow, it was found that there was required 15 pounds timothy hay, 12 pounds clover hay and seven pounds corn meal. In other words, unless more than this amount of feed was consumed the steer would not make a growth worth considering.

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Separate the milk as soon after milking as possible. If the milking is done through sterilized cheese cloth, the cows having been brushed and wiped off, the milk may be poured directly into the supply can of the separator without straining. The dairyman who depends upon the strainer to clean the milk rather than by using cleanly methods of milking is the one who makes the poorest butter. Never speed your separator up too rapidly, but begin slowly and bring machine up to the required speed gradually at the same time turning on the milk flow gradually. When all the milk has passed from the supply can one quart or so of the skim milk should be caught and poured through to flush out the cream that will remain in the bowl. Unless this is done some of the butter fat will adhere to the surfaces and a small amount remain in the center of the bowl, not being able to get out of the machine because there is no more milk flowing in to force it through. Pouring in the skim milk forces it all out. Warm water may be used for this purpose, but usually it is not so convenient.

Never let the surface of the ground crust over.

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Pure water for the cow if you want pure milk from the cow.

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Look for lice on the little chickens which do not seem to be thriving.

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Sour milk is good for the little chicks. Good for the laying hens also.

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Spray the currant and gooseberry bushes with white helebore to kill the worms.

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Feed the lambs a mixture of oats, wheat bran and oil meal if you want them to make specially rapid growth.

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Sow some rape for the pigs. It can be drilled in or broadcasted. It will be ready for pasturing in about five weeks.

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If weeds gets up before the corn run a weeder through the field. It will knock the weeds out and will bring up the corn faster.

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The farmer who tests his seed corn is the farmer who is saved the disappointment of planting a whole field and not having any of it come up.

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It is the pig that grows right from the start which proves the most profitable animal to raise. See that conditions are right to produce the best results.

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Too much stock on the pasture is a mistake. It provides insufficient food for the stock and causes them to graze it down so close as to permanently injure it.

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It takes generous feeding to build up the muscle cells broken down by the hard work of the busy season. You cannot do this by feeding corn to your horses. Feed oats.

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A bull's a bull to some farmers, no matter of what breed, or color, or disposition. But never was greater mistake made by a farmer than this. The bull is more than half of the herd.

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The farmer who puts off securing his seed corn until the last thing and then plants anything he can get ready quickly deserves no sympathy when his cornfields prove a disappointment.

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There is such a thing as false economy in feeding. If a third more expense in feeding gives you three times the profit, you can easily figure out the wisdom of generous rations. Feed wisely, but not niggardly.

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On the first rainy day now get the haying tools in shape. Haying will be upon us almost before we realize it. This promises to be a good haying year. Prices may be lower, but the larger crops will bring the profits up to fully what they were last year.

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Wet wood is an aggravation, and there is a temptation to use coal oil to hurry matters. But don't do it. Many a person has tried it and been injured or fatally burned. But why wet wood at all? Why not have the wood supply under shelter and so far ahead that it will have good time to season.

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Encysted worms in sheep cannot be reached by drugs. Treatment must be preventive. The mature worms must be expelled from the bowels by the administration of a vermifuge, surface waters must be avoided and pastures known to be infected should be pastured by other stock for a year or two.

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Theory and then practice. Put some of the new ideas you have gained from reading during the winter and from the discussions at the farmers' institutes you attended to work for you. There is chance for improvement in the methods on almost every farm. There is an easier or better way of doing things than has been in practice. Get next to the new ways, save all the labor you can without danger of jeopardizing the crop.

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A good scoop can be made out of a quart or two quart tin vegetable can by melting or cutting off the top and beginning at this open end, slitting back to within an inch of the bottom. On the opposite side of the can make a similar slit and then cut out the tin between these two slits on one side. Round off the corners at the open end. Take a piece of broom handle and drive a nail through the bottom of the center of the can and into the center of the broom handle and there you are. The scoop is complete. Perhaps not quite as strong as a boughten one but very serviceable.

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Systematic rotation of crops will prove most effective in overcoming all corn pests, especially root pests such as the root louse and the different corn root worms. The corn plant is the one upon which they thrive best and if it is removed from the ground for a year or two, it will effectively exterminate them. If you have a corn plat that was infested with any of these insects, you had better sow to millet or cowpeas this year than to attempt another crop of corn and expect it to be free from pests. The failure of the Illinois station with oil of lemon on seed corn as a protector from the corn root louse shows that little is to be expected from applying fluids to the seed. So long as the weather is dry and ideal for the growth of the plant, there was little trouble and the application seemed to be effective; but when the weather was extremely wet—the ideal weather for this pest—the oil of lemon was not effective.

Editor Appointed Director-General.

Gen. James Evelyn Pilcher, editor of the Military Surgeon, is the new director-general of the National Volunteer Emergency corps. The corps was organized in 1900, to render aid in time of national calamity or in the event of war. The corps is now being reorganized on the lines of the medical corps of the United States army.

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PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card or letter, personally.

Roy Beattie is around on crutches, having sprained his left ankle.

Chas. L. Butler has leased the Herbert Day dwelling on Fifth street and moved his family therein.

C. H. Jacobs, Galeton, L. D. Jacobs, Clearfield and Austin H. Jones, of town, were PRESS callers on Friday last.

Miss Ellen Wood, of Coudersport, was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. L. Lay, at the New Warner, for a few days of last week.

Miss Bessie McQuay is enjoying a much needed vacation, in Olean, where she is the guest of the Misses Swain and Ethel Brookshaw.

Mrs. Lathrope who resides on West Sixth street, has returned from an extended visit to Waverly, Elmira and other New York state towns.

Mr. J. F. Parsons, of Emporium, and Mr. E. K. Parsons, of Lock Haven were registered at The New Bingham Hotel, Philadelphia on Saturday.

Miss Lora McQuay departed last Friday, for Clarion State Normal School, to attend the Commencement exercises. Miss McQuay graduated last year from that school.

The Misses Edyth and Mildred Keith and Laura Olmsted, of Coudersport, who were guests of relatives and friends in Emporium, for a short time, returned to their homes last Saturday.

Mrs. J. T. Poyer, *nee* Cora Leggett and son Max, of Williamsport, are guests of Mrs. Pearl Hopple at her home on Fourth street. The ladies accompanied by their children, spent Sunday at the old home on West Creek.

Ed. Miller of Sharpsburg, Pa., who has been attending Bucknell, was a guest at the home of R. R. McQuay and family on Vine street last week. Mr. Miller departed last Friday, for commencement exercises at Clarion State Normal school, where he formerly studied.

Mr. Henry A. Smith of Maple street, father of E. J. Smith, has gone to his old home in Massachusetts to spend the summer. The venerable gentleman made the trip alone and after making calls on acquaintances in Connecticut and several other points in Mass., will return to our beautiful little mountain city. He is a grand old gentleman and a stalwart Republican of the old school.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Webber, of Buffalo, N. Y., visited in Emporium over Sunday, guests of their cousin, Richard Kuehne and family. Mr. Webber is President of the Fort Erie R. R., and Ferry Company; also President of the Steel Storage and Elevator Co., of Buffalo. Prominent men are becoming more and more interested in this section—asking pointed questions.

Master Leo Blumle is visiting friends at Buffalo this week.

Carroll Mumford made his usual trip to Port Allegany last Friday.

Fred Huntington has returned to his home in this place, from Oregon.

H. R. Knight and wife are visiting friends at East Aurora, N. Y., for a few days.

Mr. Cyril Connors, of Wellsville, N. Y., visited friends in town the fore part of this week.

Hon. and Mrs. F. X. Blumle and Mary C. Johnson are visiting at Sinnamahoning.

A. F. Morgan, wife and daughter, of Jamestown, N. Y., are visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Jacob Falk, of WilkesBarre, Pa., is visiting in town, guest of his son, Dr. H. S. Falk.

Miss Lena Coyle is on the staff of "Hello Girls" in our local telephone exchange office.

Lynn Burdick, of Colegrove, Pa., is a guest of his sister, Mrs. J. B. Meisel, at this place.

Mrs. M. A. Rockwell is treating her Fourth street business blocks to a fresh coat of paint.

Hon. L. Taggart is erecting a handsome iron fence in front of his Fourth street residence.

Gordan McGiffin, of Brookville, was a guest at the home of John Hertig and family last Sunday.

Miss Encie Howard has returned to her home, in this place, after a visit in Albany and Batavia, N. Y.

Mrs. Addison Stephens, of Coudersport, is a guest at the home of Henry Auchu and family on Fourth street.

Miss Margaret Cavey has returned to this place, after a most delightful visit in Williamsport and other places.

G. B. Foutz, proprietor of the Mountain House, at Sinnamahoning, transacted business in Emporium yesterday.

Mrs. Alfred Nelson, *nee* Emma Beattie, and son Karl, of Laquin, are guests of Mrs. Belle Beattie and family, Sixth and Maple streets.

W. W. Welman's handsome postal card views are daily mailed to all parts of the country as well as foreign countries.

W. G. Gilbert and wife left on Monday for Canada. where Mr. Gilbert is interested in silver mines, in the Cobalt field.

Misses Edna McDonough and Florence Robison are spending the week in Warren, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Good.

Mrs. Wm. Eberhart and May C. Johnson leave on Monday to spend a few days at Mr. Robert Wylie's at Beechwood.

C.C. Pearl, of minstrel fame, is looking after business interests in Emporium. He closed the season of thirty weeks at Conneaut, O.

Messrs. Clyde Fisher and Fred Eckhart assisted in the production of the Merry Mix, at Port Allegany last Friday and Saturday.

W. S. Walker, of Austin, transacted business in Emporium last Wednesday, and was a guest at the Hackenberg home on Fifth street.

Mr. H. C. Olmsted, accompanied by his two daughters, Misses Myrtle and Vera, are visiting relatives and friends at Coudersport and Ulysses.

Miss Emma Ellis and Mr. Claude Rentz departed yesterday for Montoursville, being sent as delegates, from this place, to the Epworth League convention, now in session in that place.

Harrison Gates, one of the popular merchants of Coudersport, who is staying at the Mineral Springs Hotel, at Sizerville, was a caller in Emporium last Monday evening.

Miss Mary Hanley, a teacher in the Public Schools, of Washington, D. C., stopped in Emporium last Friday, guest of Miss Hattie I. Russell. The lady was enroute for her home at Warren.

Mrs. W. S. Walker and children, and Mrs. Erhardt, of Austin, and Mrs. P. J. Bloom and son, of Buffalo, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs Wm. Hackenberg on Fifth street.

Mrs. Wm. Gump, of Salem, W. Va., who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred Seger, at their cozy home, East Fourth street, returned home on Friday. Accompanied by Mrs. Seger they visited Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore, of St. Marys, are the happiest family in Elk county at this time, over the arrival of a bouncing boy at their home. The young man is now two weeks old, yet it is news to their many Cameron county friends.

Mrs. Minnie Lane, of West Creek, leave to-morow for Grafton, Ills., accompanied by her two daughters, Wilmena and Lillian and little son "Nate." It is a long ride for a lady with three small children and we hope she arrives there safely. The PRESS follows them.

Mrs. B. Coyle, Mrs. E. D. White and Harold Seger left to-day for Wilkes-Barre, Pa., to attend the funeral of Miss Mame Casey. Miss Casey will be remembered by some of the Emporium people, having visited here last October, guest at the home of Post Master Seger.

President Cleveland Dead.

Ex-President Cleveland died yesterday morning at his Princeton, N. J., residence, aged 71 years. His funeral takes place on Friday.

Theatorium Anniversary.

The first anniversary of the Emporium Theatorium was held last Monday evening, June 22, 1908. The Theatorium was first opened in a store room on Broad street, now occupied by Mrs. M. F. Conway, but only remained there a short time as the crowds were too large for the room. Later it was removed to the Opera House, where, under the efficient management of Messrs. Bair, Blinzler and Green, the audiences were well pleased with every production. About Jan. 1, the Theatorium was again moved to the present site in the Shives building and after giving excellent satisfaction in the picture line, high class vaudeville was added. Last Monday evening was the crowning success as the pictures were of the finest and the vaudeville was condncted by Whaley and Whaley, musicians of the highest type. These gentlemen of the Theatorium Company deserve a great deal of praise and credit for their untiring efforts to please the people. The town can boast of one of the neatest places of the kind in this section of the state.

Dance.

At Keystone Park platform, July 4th, afternoon and evening, Ten cents per set. First-class music will be in attendance.

T. L. WHEATON.

If there were any general strong desire for a general revision of the Tariff, men like Cannon, Payne and Dalzell would be beaten at the polls or made to crawl in the House. As it is, the Tariff reform sentiment may be described as scattering.—New York Sun.

Cards of Thanks.

We desire to thank all our friends for their services to us in our recent sad bereavement.

MR. V. A. BROOKS AND FAMILY.
Sinnamahoning, Pa., June 23, 1908.

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Mr. J. S. Hauber desires to thank all kind friends who aided and assisted his family during their sickness and the burial of his dear wife. It being impossible to personally thank all kind friends, both in Emporium and St. Marys, he takes this method of expressing his thanks.

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Editor Press:—

Kindly convey our profound thanks to all friends for their kindness and many consoling words to us during our great affliction—the death of our mother, sister and aunt. We appreciate, more than we can express ourselves, the numerous sacrificing courtesies to our dear departed one, Mrs. Jennie P. Webster.

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"The persistent iteration that President Roosevelt would in the end take the nomination for himself was founded on the strained belief that he was capable of treachery, or that Mr. Taft was suffering himself to be made a stalking horse to delude the public. Either was impossible.

"While Secretary Taft stands for the Roosevelt policies, he has not antagonized the conservative element in his party. While one in principle with the President, his methods are essentially different, his temperament is wholly opposite; nothing rash or precipitate is expected of Mr. Taft. It is difficult to associate him with the idea of anything very radical.

"In nominating Secretary Taft the Republican party has put its best foot forward. He is beyond question the strongest man the party could offer.

"There is one gratifying feature of the presidential campaign this year. The candidates of the two opposing parties, asuming Mr. Bryan's nomination by the Democrats, are men of unsullied personal reputation. Both are clean and upright, and the country's dignity and self-respect will be duly maintained with either in the presidential office.

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But, dear reader, let us draw a veil over the sacred scene.—Exchange.

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And all of his friends waited for him to send them autographed copies of his book.

And so his books were sold as junk.

And ever after he didn't have any friends.—Success.

A Family Matter.

Eph was before the high court of justice for the usual offense.

"Now, look here, Eph," said the judge in an admonitory way, "don't you know it is wrong to steal chickens?"

"'Deed I does, jedge. I's a plunged Baptis, I is."

"Then why did you steal those chickens?"

"Dey wuzn't chickens, jedge; dey wuz ducks."

"That makes no difference."

"'Deed it do, jedge," Eph pleaded "Ducks is kinder kinfolks to us Baptises, an' it's all in de fam'ly, suh."

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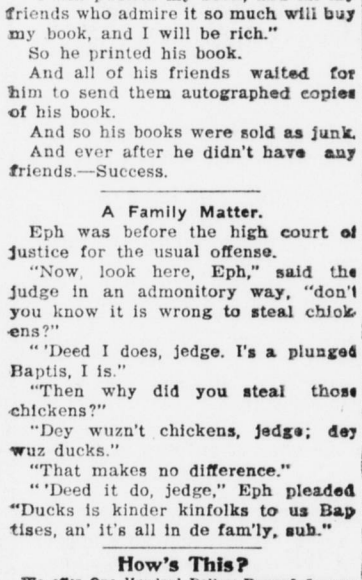

SERIAL STORY

LANGFORD of the THREE BARS

By KATE AND VIRGIL D. BOYLES

SYNOPSIS.

Cattle thieves despoiling ranches of South Dakota. George Williston, small ranchman, runs into rendezvous of thieves on island in Missouri river. They have stolen cattle from Three Bar ranch. Langford visits Williston and his daughter, and Williston reports what he has seen to Langford, who determines to rid country of thieves. Jesse Black heads outlaws. Langford falls in love with Williston's daughter, but does not tell her so. Louise Dale, court stenographer, and niece of Judge Dale, visits Kemah at request of county attorney, Gordon, to take testimony in preliminary hearing. Gordon falls in love with her. After preliminary examination Williston's home is attacked and defended by his daughter and himself. Outlaws fire building just as Langford and his cowboys arrive. Outlaws carry off Williston but Langford rescues the daughter. Without Williston evidence against Black is meager, and case seems to be going against the state. Gordon takes a night ride and finds Williston, who has escaped from captors. The courthouse at Kemah burns at night. Williston holds a tea party in his room following court house fire, and Mary Williston and Louise Dale attend. Court convenes in the church, and Williston's testimony is introduced by Gordon. Black, seeing his case lost, makes break for liberty.

CHAPTER XIX.—Continued.

It was a girl's voice, clear and firm. Mary had been the first to realize that Black's friends, not Langford's had joined in the struggle. She snatched her revolver from her cowboy belt—she had not been without either since the Lazy S was burned—and cried out her challenge. Glancing quickly from the gleaming barrel to the determined face of the young girl, the men let go their hold of Langford and fell back precipitately.

Instantly Langford sprang forward, but Black had made good use of his moment of grace. Swinging his arms to the right and left, he had beaten his way to the window, when Langford again seized him, but he hed the advantage this time and he tore himself loose, throwing Langford violently against the window-casing. With his bare, clinched fist he shivered the glass and leaped out—into the arms of Jim Munson.

The officers made gallant plunges through the sampeded crowd in their efforts to get clear of the room to follow the fugitive. But certain men managed to keep themselves clumsily, but with marvelous adroitness, nevertheless, between the deputies and the doors and windows, so that several moments elapsed before the outside was finally gained.

Meanwhile Jim struggled heroically with the outlaw. Black was far superior to him in weight and strength of limb, but Jim was quick and tough and daring. Expelled from the courtroom, he had been watching through the window. He had seen Mary's quick action and his boss's splendid attack. He had also seen the little "gun play," and his eyes glowed in admiration of "Williston's little girl," though his generous heart ached for love of the woman who was not for him. He saw Black coming. He was ready for him. He grappled with him at once. If the boss or the officers would only come now!

When they did come they found Jim stretched at length on the frozen ground. He sat up slowly.

"You're too late, boys," he said; "the hoss thief was too much for me. He's gone."

It was true. The little street stretched before them still—deserted. Early twilight was coming on. The biting cold struck them broadside. The deputies scattered in vain pursuit.

CHAPTER XX.

The Moving Shadow.

"I'd rather not talk about it to-night. I'm not equal to it. It's too—too—it's devilish, Paul. I don't seem to be able to grasp it. I can't think about it with any coherence. I was sure—so sure."

Gordon was staring moodily out of the window, one arm hanging idly over the back of his chair. He had taken up office room in an empty shop building across the street from the hotel.

"It's so devilish, it's weird," agreed the ranchman. "But your part was great. You vanquished Jesse Black. That is more than we hoped for a week ago. Is it your fault or mine that those fool deputies acted like flies in tangle-foot and went spraddle-fingered when something was expected of them? We have nothing to do with a little thing like a broken window-pane."

There was an ugly cut on his forehead caused by his violent contact with the sharp edge of the window-casing. He was pale, but he had lost none of the old faith in himself or in his power to dominate affairs in the cattle country. Defeat was intolerable to him. He refused to bow his head to it. To-day's check only made him the more determined, if that were possible to free the land of its shame.

"I'll pull myself together again, never fear," said Gordon. "Just give me to-night. You see that's not all. I've something else to think about, too, now that I have time. It takes a fellow's nerve away to have everything that is worth while drop out at once. But I've rallied before. I know I'm beastly selfish not to talk to you to-night, but——"

"Dick," interrupted Langford, bluntly, "did she turn you down?"

"I never asked her. She is going back—home—next week."

"If you let her."

"You don't quite unerstand, Paul," said Gordon, a little wearily. "She said she could never live in this country—never. She would die here. Could I ask her after that? Could I ask anyway, and be a man? I know. She would just pine away."

"Girls don't pine—only in imagination. They are tougher than you give them credit for."

"But somehow, Mary seems different," said Gordon, thoughtfully. He surprised a flush in his friend's cheek. "You deserve her, old man, you'll be very happy. She is the right kind. I congratulate you with all my heart."

An odd lump came into Langford's throat. Despite Gordon's vigorous and healthful manhood, there seemed always a certain pathos of life surrounding him.

"I haven't asked her, either," confessed Paul. "But you have made it possible for me to do so—to-night—to-morrow—whenever I can find a chance. Take my advice, old man, don't let your girl go. You'll find she is the kind after all. You don't know her yet."

Paul left the room, and Gordon paced the narrow confines of his shabby office—back and forth—many times. Then he threw himself once more into his chair. The hours were long. He had all night to think about things. When morning came, all his weakness would be over. No one should ever again see him so unmanned as Paul had seen him to-night. And when Louise should go—his arms fell nervelessly to the table. He remained thus a moment, his eyes fixed and unseeing, and then his head dropped heavily upon his arms.

Alone in the night Louise awoke.

The Man Lifted His Arm.

She found it impossible to fall asleep again. She was nervous. It must be something in the atmosphere. She tossed and tossed and flounced and flounced. She counted up to thousands. She made her mind a blank so often that she flew to thinking to escape the emptiness of it. Still her eyes were wide and her mind fairly a-quiver with activity. She slipped out of bed. She would tire herself into sleep. She even dressed. She would show herself. If she must be a midnight prowler, she would wear the garments people affect when they have their thoughts and energies on matters mundane. Drawing the oil stove close to the window fronting the street, she sank into a chair, drew a heavy shawl over her shoulders, put her feet on the tiny fender and prepared to fatigue herself into oblivion.

A light shone from the window across the way. He was still at work, then. He ought not to sit up so late. No wonder he was looking so worn out lately. He ought to have some one to look after him. He never thought of himself. He never had time. She would talk to him about keeping such late hours—if she were not going back to God's country next week. Only next week! It was too good to be true—and yet she sighed. But there was no other way. She ought never to have come. She was not big enough. He, too, had told her she was not the kind. Doubtless, he knew. And she didn't belong to anybody here. She was glad she was going back to where she belonged to somebody. She would never go away again.

Was that Gordon passing back and forth in front of the window? Something must be troubling him. Was it because Jesse Black had escaped? But what a glorious vindication of his belief in the man's guilt had that afternoon been given! Nothing lacked there. Why should he be sorry? Sometimes, she thought he might care—that day crossing the river for instance; but he was reserved—he never said—and it was much, much better that he did not care, now that she was going away and would never come back. There was nothing in all the world that could make her come back to this big, bleak, lonesome land where she belonged to nobody. But she was sorry for him. He looked sad and lonely. He didn't belong to anybody here, either, yet he wasn't going to run away as she was. Well, but he was a man, and men were different.

And now she noticed that his head had sunk down onto his arms. How still he sat! The minutes passed away. Still he sat motionless, his face buried.

It was dark. The yellow gleam streaming out of the window only served to make the surrounding darkness denser. The lamp on the table cast a pale circle immediately in front of the office. There was no other flicker of light on the street. Into this circle there moved a shadow. It retreated — advanced again — glided back in to obscurity. Was it something alive, or did the moving of the lamp cause the shadows to thus skip about? But the lamp had not been moved. It burned steadily in the same position. The relaxed form of the unconscious man was still bent over the table. Nothing had changed within. Probably some dog locked out for the night had trotted within the radius of light. Maybe a cotton-tail had hopped into the light for a second. Louise did not know whether rabbits ever came into the town, but it was likely they did. It might have been one of the strayed cattle wandering about in search of food. That was the most probable supposition of all. Of coure it might have been only her imagination. The little pinch of fright engendered of the moving shadow and the eerie hour passed away. Her eyes grew pensive again. How still it was! Had Gordon fallen asleep? He lay so quietly. Had he grieved himself into slumber as a girl would do? No—men were not like that.

Ah! There was the moving shadow again! She caught her breath quickly. Then her eyes grew wide and fixed with terror. This time the shadow did not slink away again. It came near the window, crouching. Suddenly, it stood up straight. Merciful Father! Why is it that a human being, a creature of reason and judgment, prowling about at unnatural hours, inspires ten-fold more terror to his kind than does a brute in like circumstances of time and place? Louise tried to scream aloud. Her throat was parched. A sudden paralysis held her speechless. It was like a nightmare. She writhed and fought desperately to shake herself free of this dumb horror. The cold damp came out on her forehead. Afterward she remembered that she knew the man and that it was this knowledge that had caused her nightmare of horror to be so unspeakably dreadful. Now she was conscious only of the awfulness of not being able to cry out. If she could only awaken Mary! The man lifted his arm. He had something in his hand. Its terrible import broke the spell of her speechlessness.

"Mary! Mary!"

She thought she shrieked. In reality she gasped out a broken whisper; but it thrilled so with terror and pleading that Mary was awakened on the instant. She sprang out of bed. As her bare feet touched the floor a pistol shot rang out close by. She had been trained to quick action, and superb health left no room for cobwebs to linger in the brain when she was suddenly aroused. She had no need for explanations. The shot was enough. If more was needed there was the lighted window across the way and here was Louise crouched before their own. Swiftly and silently she seized her revolver from the bureau, glided to the window and fired three times in rapid succession, the reports mingling with the sound of shattered glass.

"I think I hit him the second time, Louise," she said, with a dull calm. "I can't be sure."

She lighted a lamp and began to dress mechanically. Louise stayed not to answer. In the hall she encountered Paul Langford, just as another shot rang out.

"Go back, Miss Dale," he cried, hurriedly but peremptorily. "You mustn't come. I am afraid there has been foul play."

She looked at him. It hurt, that look.

"He is dead," she whispered, "I am going to him," and glided away from his detaining hand.

He hurried after her. Others had been aroused by the nearness of the pistol shots. Doors were thrown open. Voices demanded the meaning of the disturbance. Putting his arm around the trembling girl Langford hastened across the street with her. At the door of Gordon's office he paused.

"I will go in first, Louise. You stay here."

He spoke authoritatively; but she slipped in ahead of him. Her arms fell softly over the bowed shoulders. Her cheek dropped to the dark, gray-streaked hair. There was little change, seemingly. The form was only a little more relaxed, the attitude only a little more helpless. It seemed as if he might have been sleeping. There was a sound, a faint drip, drip, drip, in the room. It was steady, monotonous, like drops falling from rain pipes after the storm is over. Langford opened the door.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Dissecting a Violin.

Not one person in a hundred has the slightest notion of how many parts or pieces there are in a violin. Here is a list of them: Back, 2 pieces; belly, 2; coins and blocks, 6; sides, 5; side-linings, 12; bar, 1; purflings, 24; neck, 1; finger-board, 1; nut, 1; bridge, 1; string for tail-board, 1; guard for string, 1; sound-post, 1; strings, 4; pegs, 4; total, 69 pieces. Three kinds of wood are used—maple, pine and ebony. Maple is used for the back, the neck, the side-pieces and the bridge. Pine is used for the belly, the bar, the coins and blocks, the side linings and the sound-post. Ebony is used for the finger-board, the tail-board, the nut, the guard for string of tail-board, the pegs and the button.

FAMILIAR PHRASE.

"He paused for a moment's reflection."

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Ethel seemed scarcely pleased with this reward for exceptional conduct.

"Don't you want to go to heaven?" asked grandma, with a look of reproach.

"Oh, I don't know," temporized Ethel. "I guess not."

"Why not?" demanded grandma, severely.

"Because maybe I couldn't get out," answered Ethel.

"You wouldn't want to get out," replied grandma.

"Oh, yes, I should," returned Ethel, with conviction.

"No," argued grandma, "you would not. Why should you want to get out of heaven?"

"Why," answered Ethel, "I guess I'd want to go and see you once in a while, wouldn't I?"—Woman's Home Companion.

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FROM A NOVEL.

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"I don't read and I haven't any wife," replied Mr. Hobbs, dryly.

"Dear me!" said the book agent. "Well, if your wife is dead, perhaps there are children. Now, children find this book—"

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"Mother coaxed me to use Postum, but I thought coffee would give me strength. So things went, and when I married I found my husband and I were both coffee topers, and I can sympathize with a drunkard who tries to leave off his cups.

"At last in sheer desperation I bought a package of Postum, followed directions about boiling it, served it with good cream, and asked my husband how he liked the coffee.

"We each drank three cups apiece, and what a satisfied feeling it left. Our conversion has lasted several years and will continue as long as we live, for it has made us new—nerves are steady, appetites good, sleep sound and refreshing."

"There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

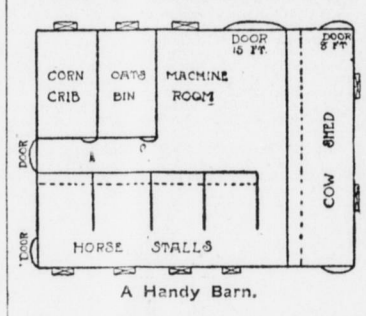
Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

LIVE STOCK

A HANDY BARN.

It Will Accommodate Seven Horses and Ten Cows.

Here are plans for a handy barn. It will hold seven head of horses and about ten head of cows. A crib opposite the feedway will hold about 600 bushels of corn and an oats bin adjoining this will hold from 1,000 to 1,200 bushels of that grain. This leaves a space 15x18 for implements, hay or anything that the farmer may wish to



A Handy Barn.

put in it. The doors on the cow shed are wide enough so you can drive through them with a wagon or manure spreader. The horse stable has double stalls ten feet wide and 15 feet from inside of manger to the wall. This, together with the fact that the doors are eight feet wide, enable you to get out with your team very easily. The size of the structure is 35x38 feet, with a hay mow over the lower floor. The eaves are six feet, affording more than usual protection to the outside of the building. The accompanying plan, says the Journal of Agriculture, will give the reader a better understanding of the interior arrangement.

LIVE STOCK INDUSTRY.

Good Profit in the Business If It Is Managed Right.

The live stock industry is one of the very great industries of this country and will continue to be such for centuries to come. The conditions in this country make the production of stock one of the most profitable of enterprises. The lands are as yet comparatively cheap and hence will pay a good profit in the business of stock producing, provided the right kind of farming is carried on in conjunction with the raising of the live stock. That right kind of farming must include the raising of a large amount of roughage of such a character that the farm animals will eat it almost entirely. If this roughage be corn or some other plant rich in carbon it is an easy way of transferrring the carbon of the air to the carcasses of the cattle. With some stock many a farmer can collect from the air free carbon and sell it in the various products that come from the animal world.

No matter how high-priced land becomes, the farmer cannot afford to forego the profits that would come to him from being able to grow herbaceous plants of a rank nature and transform them into a high-priced salable product.

THE GOOD SCRUB.

Find Her Out and Then Keep Her and Breed from Her.

It would be a good thing if we had a system of testing the scrub cows that are good milkers. It is a fact that every farmer understands that here and there in the multitude of scrub cows is a milk cow of great value, and a cow, too, that seems to have the ability to pass her large milking qualities down to her progeny. It is too bad that any good milking strains should pass from the land. It must be remembered, says the Farmers' Review, that all the present breeds came out of the great mass of cattle, and that there was a time when all cattle were scrubs. The possibilities that we have discovered and developed in the selected breeds existed in the undeveloped breeds and some of the large milking strains are to be found in the cows that are without pedigree. Moreover, many of these scrub cows have in them the blood of the improved breeds.

Well-Lighted Cow Stables.

It is not easy to get all farmers to let enough light into their cow stables. Yet the matter is so important that some states are passing laws compelling every man that produces milk for city consumption to put more windows into his cow stable if he has less than a certain number. Farmers should not wait for a law to be passed compelling them to do this, but should be more ready to do it than the lawmakers are to have them do it. In the darkness lurk the germs that will be disastrous to animals and humans. Moisture and darkness are the natural conditions under which some of our most fatal diseases are produced.

Right Kind of Draft Horses.

In the breeding of horses for the city the kind should be bred that can be used in the work of ordinary teaming, for in this is the greatest demand. This is especially true of the larger horses. The medium sized draft horse may be bred to do work on the farm. He is particularly well adapted to the large farms where heavy farm machinery is now used in place of the lighter kinds formerly in use.

HORSES BOLTING GRAIN.

Several Reasons Why They Get Habit How to Cure Them.

When a horse bolts his grain the first step should be to see that his teeth are in proper order, as sharp points or other irregularities may be making it impossible for him properly to masticate his grain, and may easily be set right by judicious use of the veterinary rasps sold for the purpose. Next it is important that the horse should be allowed a sufficient length of time in which comfortably and properly to masticate his food. If he is rushed into and out of the stable at noon he soon learns to bolt his food, as the habit comes from hurry and hunger. In addition to allowing ample time for grain eating discourage bolting by feeding the grain from a box with a very wide bottom, so that it will be thinly distributed, under which circumstances the horse will find it impossible to grab a full mouthful to be bolted unmasticated. Putting some cobblestones in the feed box also helps to prevent bolting, and another excellent plan suggested by the Rural New Yorker is to mix some hard peas, horse beans or even shelled corn with the oats, as the horse will chew well to enjoy the flavor of the added grains, and incidentally grind his oats thoroughly. The objection to feeding sheaf oats in place of oats is that a horse has a small stomach, the capacity of which is but three and one-half gallons or thereabout, so that he needs concentrated food in small quantities often when at hard work. Oats have to be fully masticated in the mouth, where they are drenched with the saliva, which acts upon the starchy matters. The oats then pass to the stomach, where they remain for hours for full action of the gastric juice, which acts upon the protein constituents; then the partially digested food passes slowly along the many feet of small intestines, after meeting the digestive fluids of the duodenum, and gives up most of its nutrients to the absorbent organs during the journey to the large intestine. On the contrary, hay, straw and fodder, after partial mastication in the mouth, pass quickly through the stomach and are stored in the large intestines (caecum and colons), and if fed with oats or just after oats tend to force the grain out of the stomach undigested. Theoretically a horse should therefore be fed hay first and then oats or other concentrates, and as water passes through the stomach to the caecum it should be given always before feeding.

THE STOCK.

Dusty hog yards are fruitful of disorders in the lungs of the pigs, and such disorders are frequently taken for cholera.

One cow will make more milk out of a hundred pounds of food than will another. The cow that makes the most milk from a hundred pounds of food is worth the most.

Rape is a good plant to grow for sheep pasture in the latter part of the summer and in the fall. It can be sown at any time in spring and early summer.

The sow must be carefully taken care of if the best results are to be obtained with her in breeding operations. She should not be turned into a lot where conditions are such that she will have to jump over ditches, crawl between rails, or where she will be tempted to try her ability to climb half tumbled down fences.

On the dairy farm where pasturing is practiced, there is no more important thing than the pasture. It is probable that in most localities the grass that grows in the pasture yields a larger profit than any other feed. That is because its expenses are reduced to the least possible sum. It is a great thing not to have to cure and harvest the grass. The cows harvest it without expense to the owner and have it in a condition that yields the greatest possible amount of nutriment.

CHICKEN EATING HOGS.

Board Across the Eyes Will Cure Them, It Is Said.

Pieces of tin four inches wide and about eight inches long with four holes punched in the upper edges were tied in the ears of two hogs who were

Cure for the Chicken Eater.

in the habit of catching and eating chickens and proved an effective hindrance. The hogs wearing this device were able to see enough to eat and drink, but were obliged to refrain from indulging in their favorite pastime.

The Veterinarians.

The good veterinarian should be encouraged, for the country needs him. The good veterinarian is almost always the graduate of a veterinary college. There are a great many unskillful and unscientific men practicing as veterinarians to-day. They have not passed through the veterinary schools and their information is largely picked up. In picking up this information they have gathered with it a good deal of misinformation. The latter makes the unqualified veterinarian a dangerous man. Many a good animal has been ruined by being treated for a disease he did not have, or by being given a medicine dangerous in the hands of a man not understanding it.

ONE WOMAN'S ENDURANCE.

Southern Woman Suffers Torture Without Complaint.

Racked and torn with terrific pains, nightly annoyed by kidney irregularities, Mrs. A. S. Payne, of 801 Third ave, So., Columbus, Miss., suffered for years. She says: "The pains in my back, sides and loins were so terrible that I often smothered a scream. Every move meant agony. My rest was broken by a troublesome weakness and the secretions seemed to burn like acid. I was in an awful condition and doctors did not seem to help me. Doan's Kidney Pills benefitted me from the first and soon made me a strong and healthy woman."

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A Bare Possibility.

In his diary, which is incorporated in the "Life and Letters of Sir Richard Claverhouse Jebb," the great Greek scholar recorded a flash of his own wit which is of a most appealing variety.

At a dinner at Cambridge Sir Richard, then Mr. Jebb, took in a young woman, who got through the first course with little conversation. Suddenly she startled him by saying, in the most unprovoked way, while she was still dining with apparent good appetite:

"Prof. Jebb, do you think women ever die of a broken heart?"

"Perhaps other organs may have something to do with it," he proffered in reply.—Youth's Companion.

Nothing to Speak Of.

"You are to take these capsules," said Dr. Fussy, "before meals, not after, remember."

"Oh!" said the patient. "I guess it doesn't matter much."

"But it does matter, sir!"

"You wouldn't say that, doctor, if you had ever had a meal in our boarding house."—Catholic Standard and Times.

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This above all; to thine own self be true; and it must follow, as the night the day, thou canst not then be false to any man.—Shakespeare.

SOUNDS FAMILIAR.

"The End of a Long Life."

"Internal Revenue" Collections.

The term "internal revenue" has been restricted in its meaning to such revenues only as are collected under the internal revenue bureau connected with the treasury department, and does not include all revenues that are, properly speaking, from internal sources, that is, from sources other than duties levied at the frontiers upon foreign commodities. Thus, moneys arising from the sale of public lands, from patent fees, or the revenues of the postal service, are not generally known as "internal revenues."

Milder Definition.

At Emersn's dinner table one day there was mention of a woman well known as a lion hunter; and, in speaking of her, Mrs. Emerson used the word "snob." Mr. Emerson objected, the word was too harsh; he didn't like that ugly class of words beginning with "sn." His wife inquired how he would characterize the lady. "I should say"—very slowly—"she is a person having great sympathy with success."

Matter of Orthography.

Her Brother—I hope you are not going to marry young Bounder. He is absolutely without principle.

His Sister—That's strange. He told me he lived on the interest of his money—and how can there be any interest if there's no principal?

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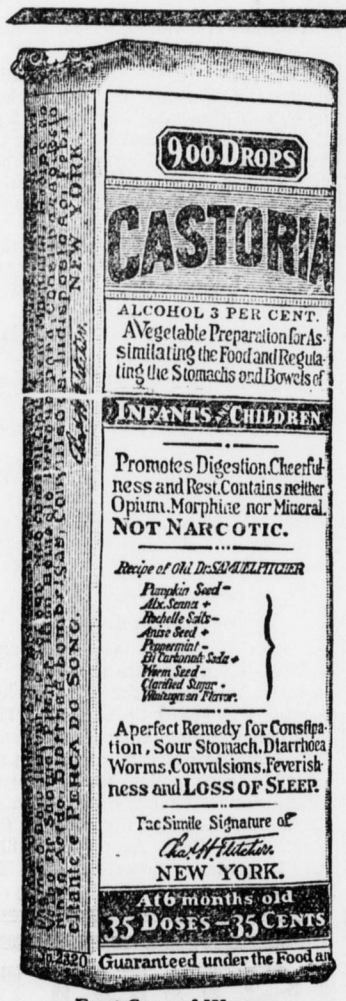
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